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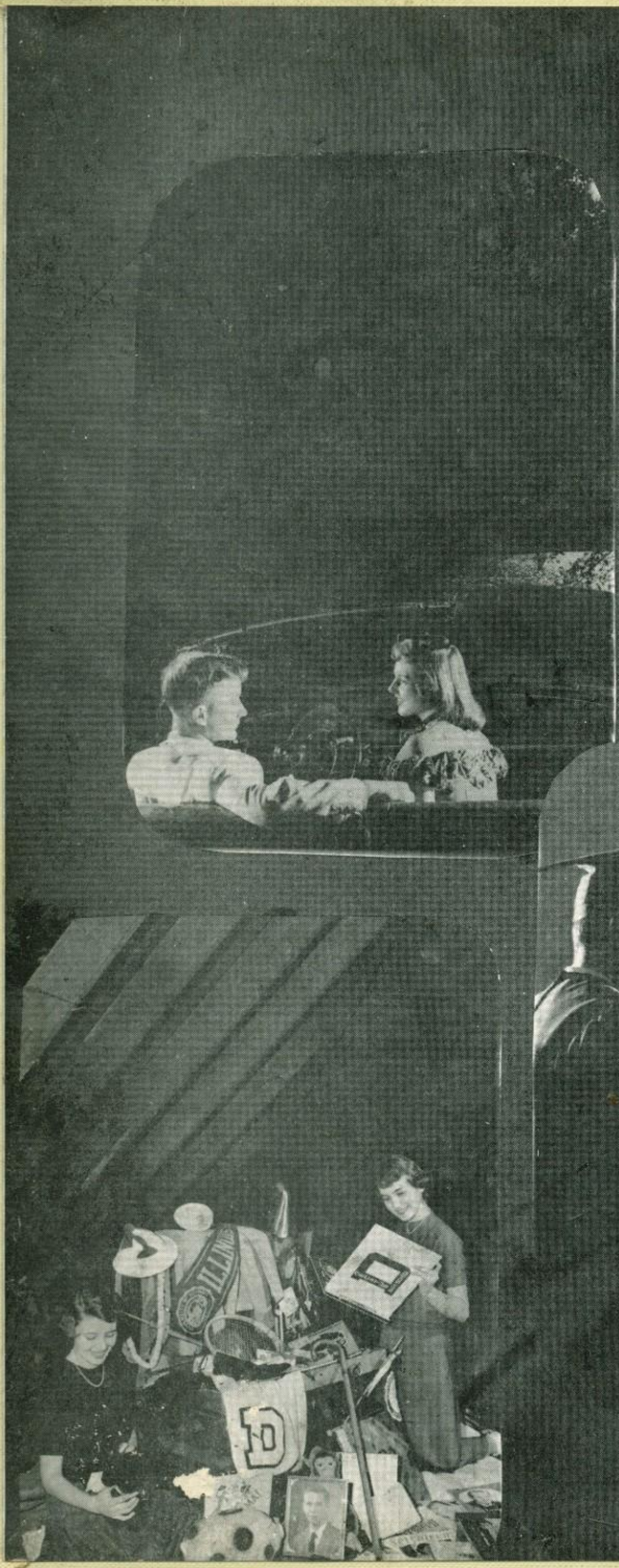

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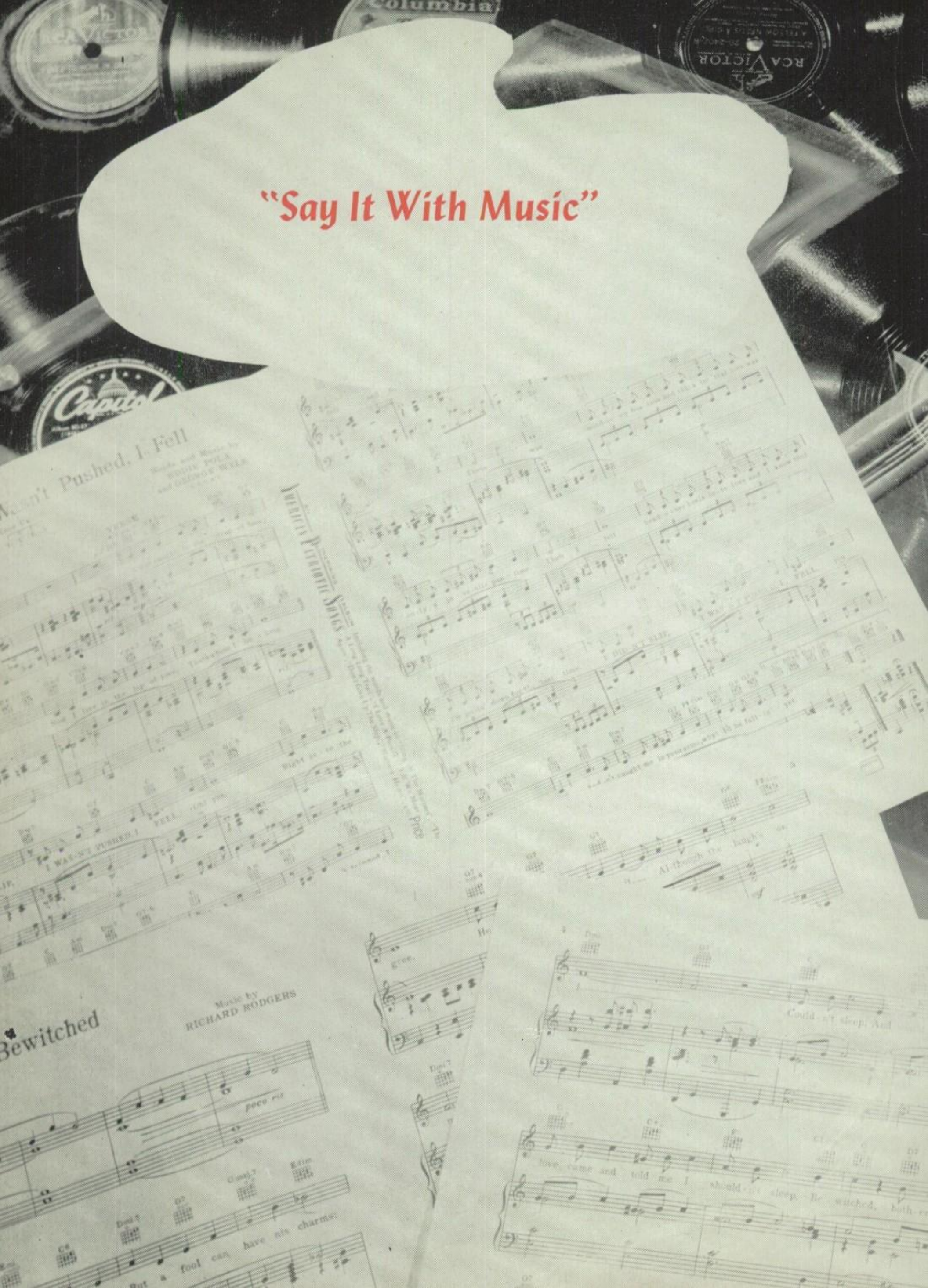

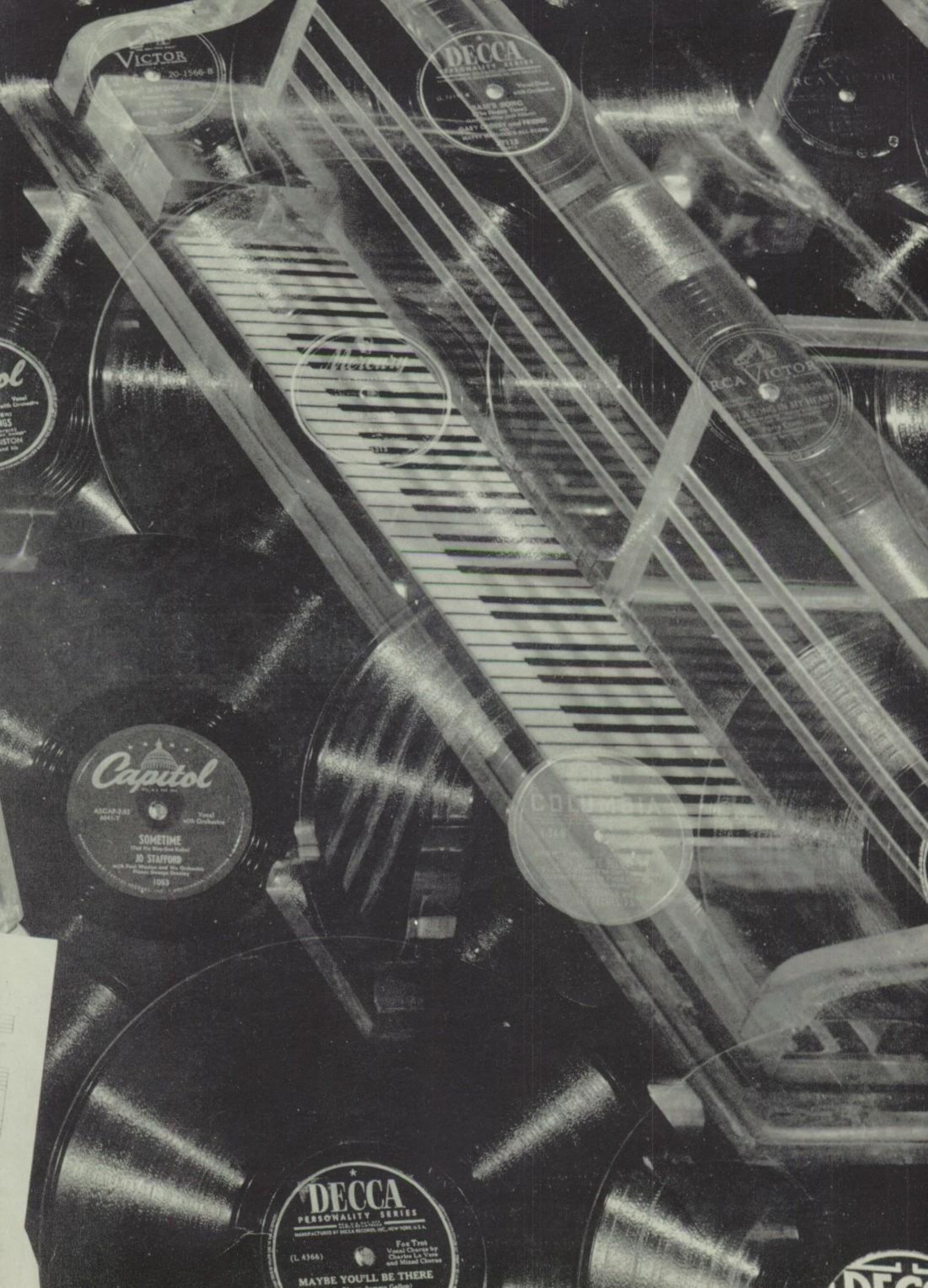
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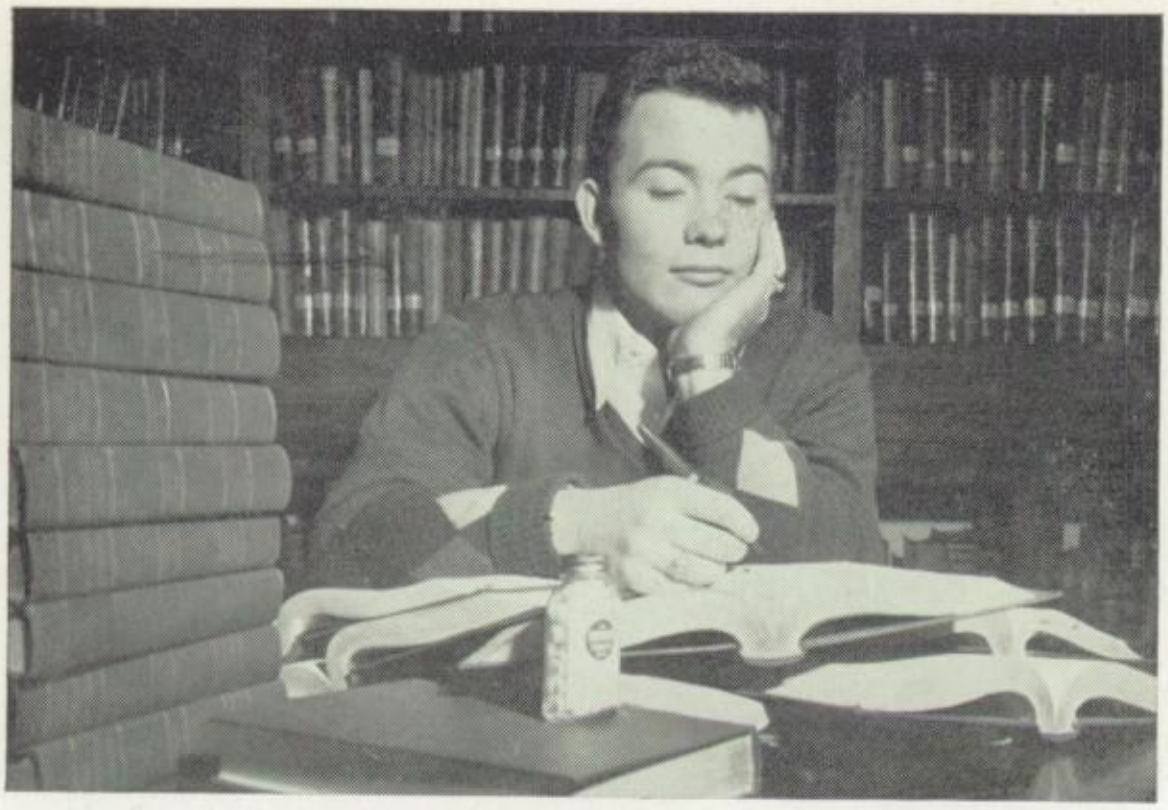

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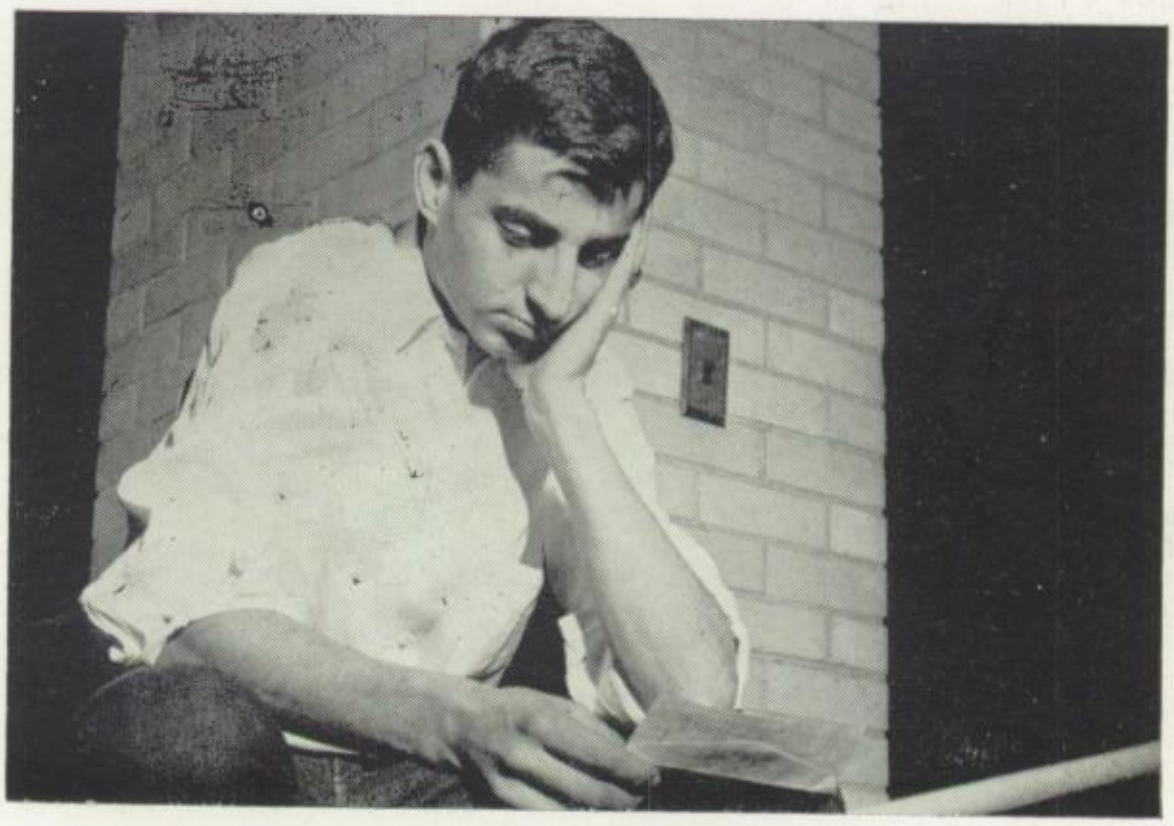

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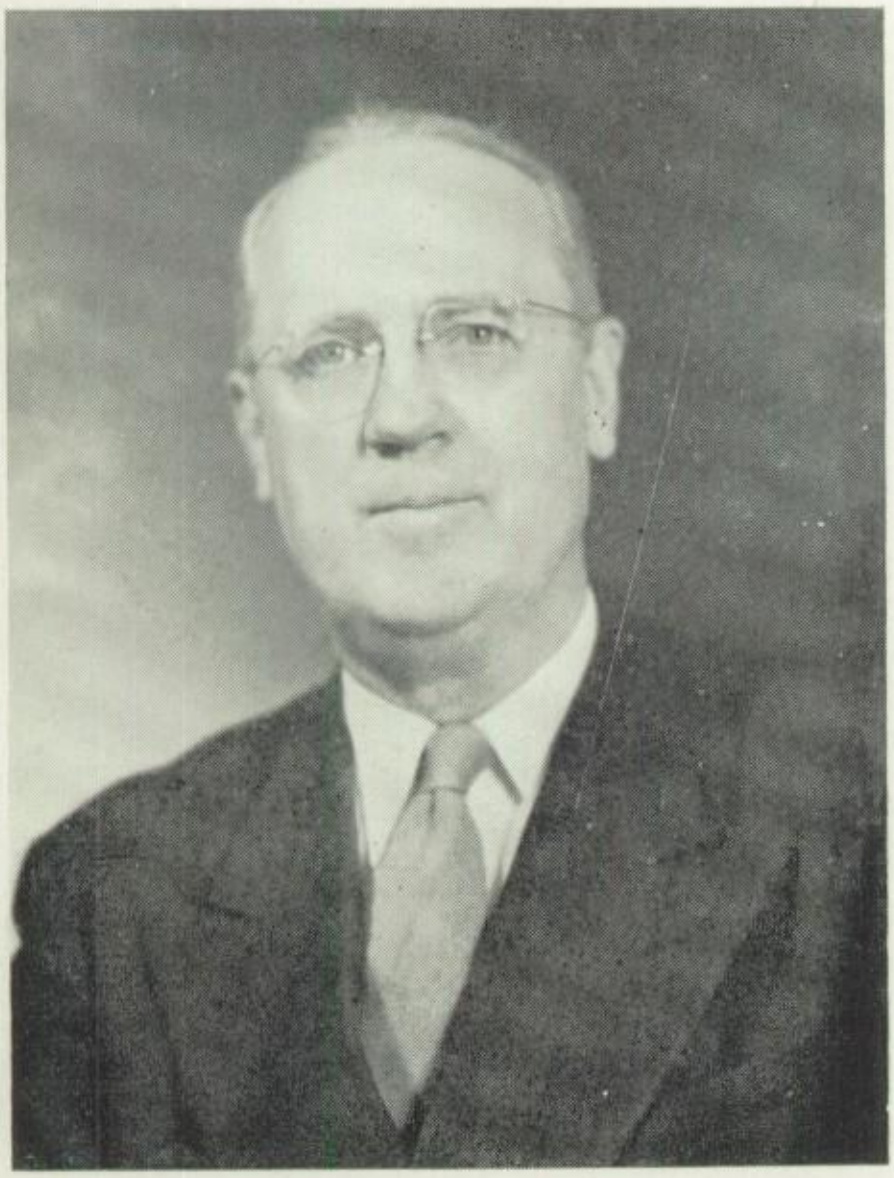

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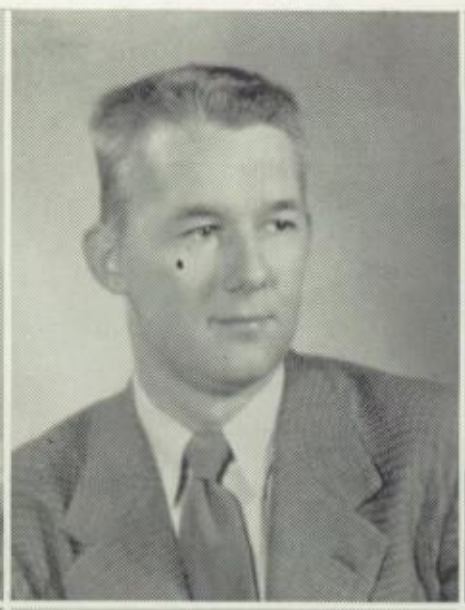

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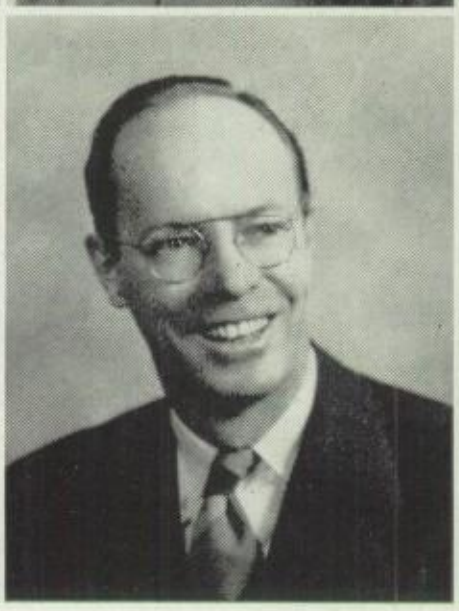

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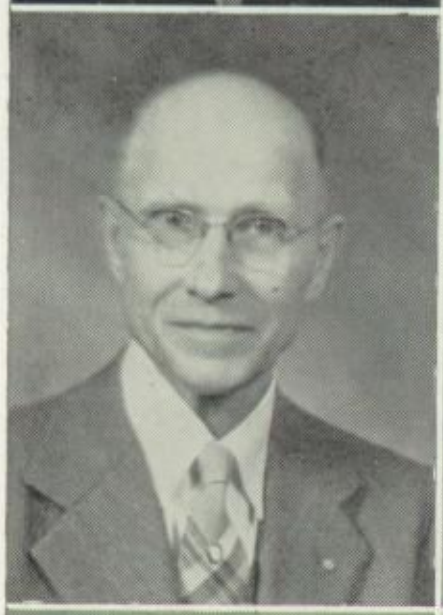
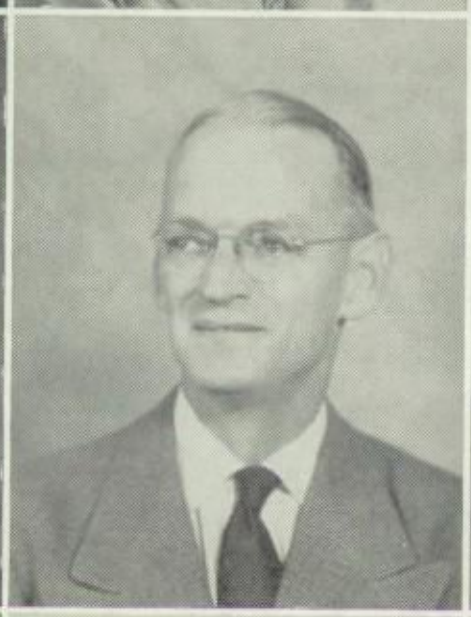

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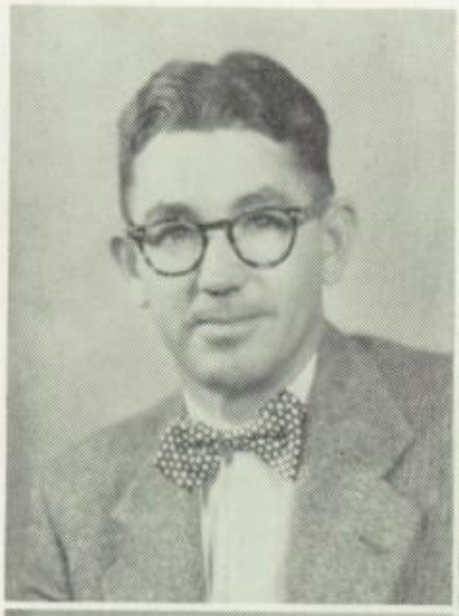

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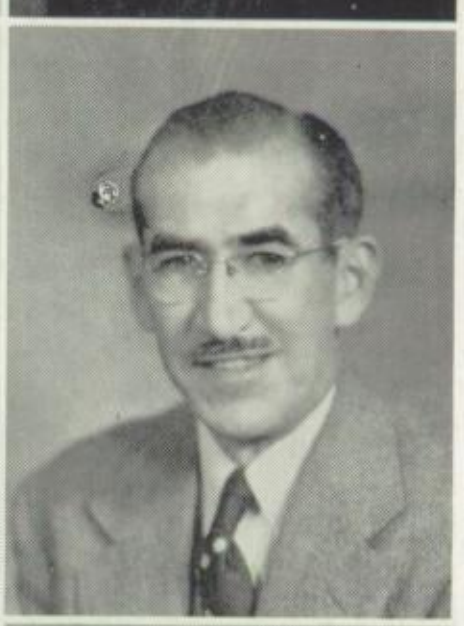

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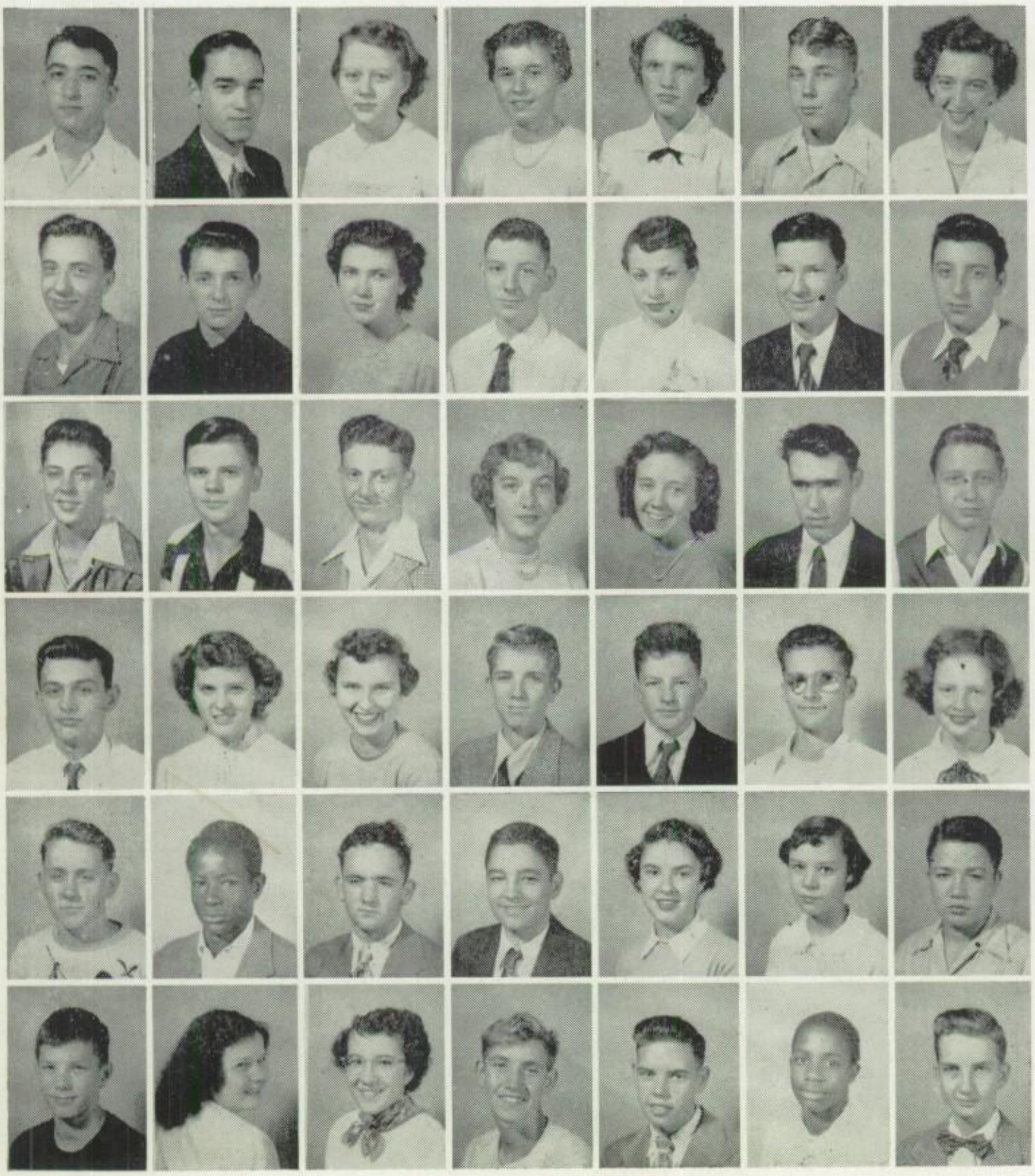

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Schnittker, Betty

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Voss, Ronnie
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Walker, Harold
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Waller, Shirley
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Watson, J. P.
Watts, Sandra
Wolken, Stuart

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Webb, Betty
Weddle, Ray
Welch, Barbara
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Welch, James P.
Weldy, Richard
West, Jesse

West, Pansy
West, Patsy
Whicker, Bob
White, Ruth
Whitsitt, Kenneth
Wiant, Phil
Wicker, Fred

Wikowsky, Avis
Wilcott, Alice
Wilcox, Charlotte
Wilkerson, Don
Willcut, Shirley
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Williamson, Iona
Williamson, Rowena
Wilson, Kirt
Wilson, Norma
Wisdom, Ruth
Wise, Duane

Wise, Jim
Wisley, Betty
Witts, Patty
Woods, Louis
Wooley, Mary
Wright, Charlotte
Yandell, James

Yarnell, Larry
Young, Ann
Young, Joan
Young, Shirley
Yundt, Jerry
Zellmann, Jerry
Zimmer, Carol

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Row 2: S. Wilson, J. McDonald, S. Stafford, B. Simpkins, N. Walker, J. Poe, S. Reed, I. Pruss, D. Riggs, L. Shampine, J. Nixon, M. McDaniels, P. Wilson.

Row 3: E. Mason, D. Vick, J. Wolverton, R. Ware, W. Hurt, J. Kinney, M. Hirst, J. Mullins, C. Munjoy, C. Lingenfelter, J. Roasio, L. McLain.

Row 4: F. Walters, D. Trueblood, J. Wolverton, R. Seip, F. Jenkins, R. Hunter, J. Jackson, B. Stubblefield, T. Sherman, R. Qualls, C. Stogsdill, J. Shields.

Row 5: L. Johnson, J. Johnson, J. Stuart, R. Kemp, R. Shirley, J. Joyner, H. Johnson, E. Slighton, J. Rice, C. Hawkins, G. McGlade, E. Ramseyer, K. Kingery.

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Row 2: W. Finley, B. Hayes, J. Dalton, P. Coleman, D. Faust, S. Doty, J. Bridge, P. Barding, S. Arndt, M. Banfield, M. Berry, N. Clark, R. Boyle.

Row 3: J. Deetz, S. Cope, R. Brown, R. Bobbitt, B. Albritton, N. Braden, E. Balding, P. Bernard, J. Gillespie, J. Groves, J. Dobbs.

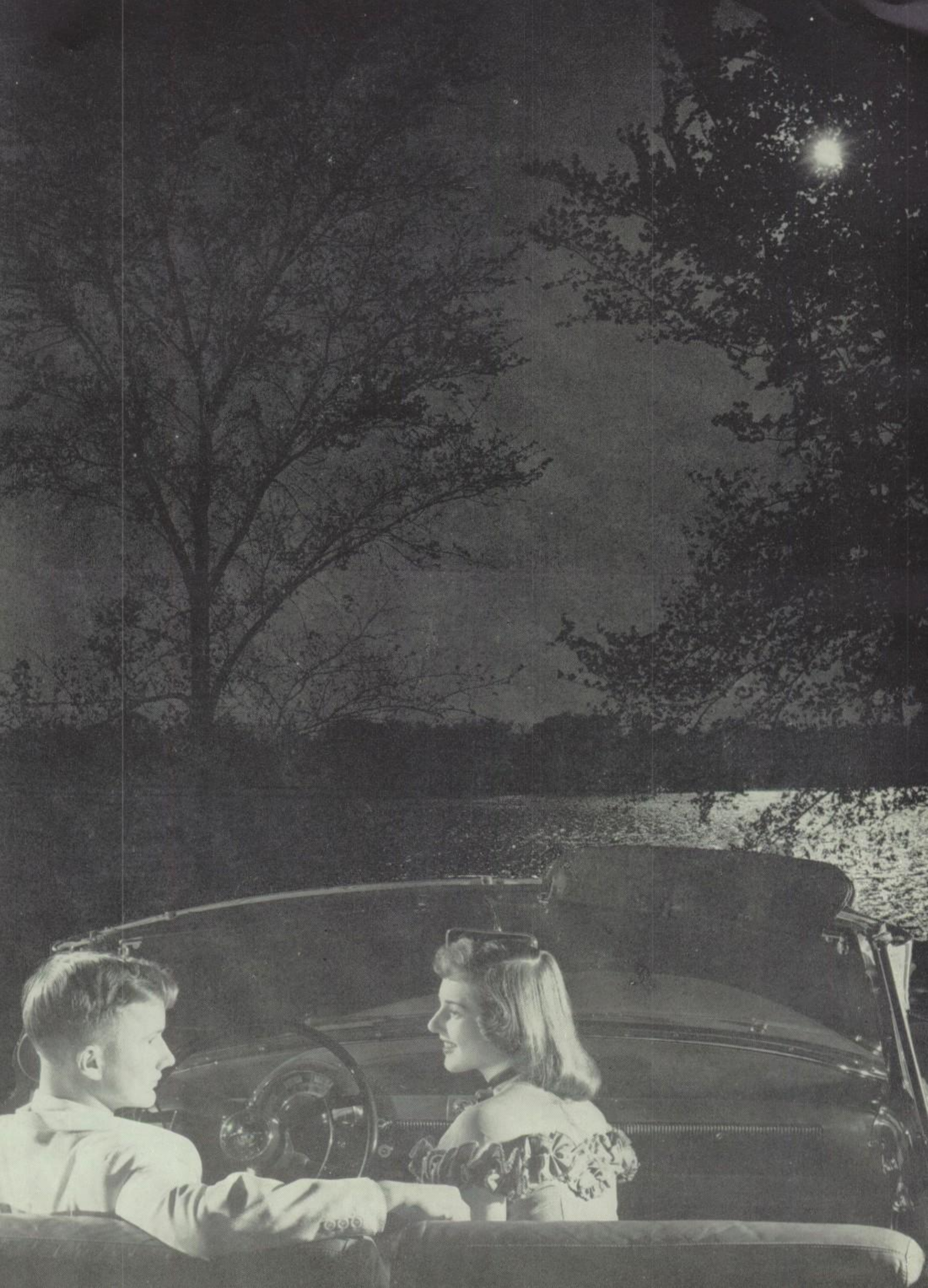
Row 4: L. Boline, C. Brown, C. Boline, G. Haikalis, B. Gentry, W. Beeman, R. Ammann, D. Carter, B. Coventry.

Row 5: D. Beard, B. Allen, V. Blankenship, R. Alexander, V. Albert, J. Brozio, J. Gordy, R. Fuller, D. Garner, R. Campbell.

Row 6: D. Dodson, D. Ellis, L. Fellwock, C. Griffin, V. Brunner, D. Ferguson, W. Harnish, B. Dellert, G. Grubbs, L. Fravell, R. Cox.

JUNIORS

"When You Were Sweet Sixteen"



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Left to Right: Bob Briggs, Sergeant-at-Arms; **Bob Abbott,** President; **Marilyn Neuendorf,** Secretary; **Jim W. Johnson,** Vice-President; **Don Gneckow,** Sergeant-at-Arms; **Bill Coffey,** Treasurer (absent).

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Adcock, Richard
Albers, Margaret
Allen, Doris
Allinson, Richard
Allsop, Phyllis

Anderson, Larry
Anderson, Loretta
Applebaum, Harriet
Armsworth, Joyce
Arnold, Stan
Atkins, Patricia
Babel, Patricia

Bachman, Sally
Bacon, Carole
Bailey, Bill
Bailey, Connie
Bailey, Dorothy
Ballinger, Charlene
Banks, James

Banning, William (deceased)
Banning, Robert
Barnhardt, Carolyn
Barone, Dolores
Bass, Deloris
Baum, Doris
Beals, Lila

Beals, William
Baer, Don
Belden, Jackie
Bell, Barbara
Bender, Shirley
Beneze, Esther
Beneze, Jane

Bergandine, Richard
Berry, Juanita J.
Bielefeld, Roger
Bingman, Don
Blackford, Ann
Blackford, Charles
Blakeman, Ardith

JUNIORS

Blasingame, Marlene
Bodine, Dick
Bohon, Bill
Boland, Richard
Borel, Alice
Bottrell, Pat
Bowman, Joan

Boyd, Jim
Boyer, Johnny
Briggs, Bob
Brissenden, Barbara
Brozio, Peggy
Brumaster, Connie
Buckley, Donald

Buechler, Jerry
Burdick, Jim
Burgener, Chuck
Butts, Wesley
Calvert, Barbara
Campbell, Barbara
Campbell, Marilyn

Cannon, Doris
Carnock, Phil
Carr, Margaret
Caudell, Frances
Chaniot, Joanne
Cherry, Mary
Christian, Rose

Clanton, Ronald
Clark, Jerry
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Coffey, Bill
Cook, Bob
Cooley, Dick
Connelly, Suzanne

Corrington, Harry
Corzine, Leonard
Coventry, Pat
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Cox, Jim
Cox, Ruth
Craig, Lawrence

Craig, Marjorie
Creighton, Betty
Crowe, Vivian
Culver, Bernetta
Curtis, Shirley
Cuttill, Shirley
Daggett, Eleanor

Daniels, Deva
Dappert, Robert
Dannewitz, Walter
Daugherty, Homer
Davis, Marian
Day, Arthur
Dean, Don

Deaton, Peggy
DeMoss, Paul
Dickerson, Jerry
Dillow, Robert
Divilbiss, Jack
Dobson, Barry
Dobson, Lois

JUNIORS

Donaldson, Pat
Doolen, Carol
Downey, Don
Drake, Don
Dratwick, John
Duncan, Charline
Durbin, Beverly

Dymond, John
Eaton, Dean
Eaton, Mary Lou
Eberhardt, Don
Edwards, Jerry
Edward, Jim
Elam, Estella

Elder, Craig
Ellinger, Jim
Ellis, Dorothy
Emmons, Bob
Endrizzi, Martin
Engle, Danny
Enlow, Doris

Enlow, Lillian
Etchison, Almeda
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Erwin, Darlene
Ewing, Bernadine
Farris, Lloyd
Farris, Lois

Fawley, Jeannette
Fenton, Marilyn
Ferguson, Frank
Ferral, Bill
Fields, C. J.
Fink, Patty
Fisher, Bill

Fisher, Dean
Fleener, Dwayne
Fleming, Carolyn
Fox, Beverly
Frahlman, Ronnie
Fravel, Eunice
Fritchley, Carole

Fulk, Jerry
Gant Jerry
Garver, Janet
Gaunt, Alice
Glover, Chesley
Gneckow, Don
Goldman, Jerry

Gordon, Kenneth
Gordon, Virginia
Gordy, Joyce
Goss, Jack
Grathwohl, Harold
Grayned, Charles
Greenberg, Lois

Gregory, Betty
Greve, Jerry
Gritton, Leora
Groo, John
Gross, Arnold
Grove, Dick
Guinn, Alan

JUNIORS

Haikalis, Pete
Hall, Nancy
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Hancock, Dean
Hanes, Margaret
Hanley, John

Hansen, Barbara
Harmon, Glenna
Harper, Nadine
Harris, Delores
Harshbarger, Diane
Hart, Joyce
Hartwig, Doris

Hastings, Marda
Haughey, Paddy
Hayes, Carol
Hays, Darlene
Henderson, John
Henry, Joyce
Henry, Mary Ellen

Hicks, Jim
Hill, Jim
Hill, June
Hinton, Merry
Hiser, Donna
Hoffman, Pat
Hoffman, Ray

Holler, Bernita
Holler, Juanita
Hollingsworth, Don
Holmes, Ronald
Holmes, Scharlene
Hood, Britton
Housley, Martha

Howell, Mack
Hoyt, Dean
Hughes, Ed
Hull, Judy
Hullinger, Golden
Hursh, Danny
Irwin, Ken

Ishmael, Sam
Ivie, Walter
Jack, Karen
Jackson, Sandra
James, Judy
Jimison, Hazel
Johnson, Jim

Johnson, Raymond
Jones, Connie
Karlowski, Delores
Katz, Janis
Keeling, Robert
Keller, Jack
Kemper, Charlene

Kerns, Patsy Sue
Kirk, Diane
Kiser, Stanley
Knierim, Helen
Knisley, Gwen
Koshinski, Mary
Kresin, Richard

JUNIORS

Kubow, Don
Kull, Don
Lane, Charles
Langlois, Joyce
Larson, Ruth
Leach, Charles
Lee, David

Leigh, Koven
Leming, Carl
Lewis, Hartford
Lewis, Marilyn
Lindsay, Ann
Little, Norman
Lookabaugh, Charles

Loomer, Bill
Lyons, Ruth
McCormick, Marilyn
McCrary, Nancy
McCrory, Barbara
McElhany, Carol
McEvoy, Jim

McEvoy, Tom
McKee, Tom
McNabb, Ruth
McRoberts, Wendell
Macrafic, Darlene
Major, Linda
Maltas, Diane

Maple, Jack
Marsh, Janet
Massingale, Robert
Masters, Joan
Maxeiner, Jim
Maxey, Bob
May, Helen

Mayfield, Margie
Mayhill, Joan
Meadows, Sally
Meek, Clarence
Merritt, Jim
Metzger, Shirley
Meyer, Mike

Milhouse, Mary
Miller, David
Miller, Jeanne
Mitchell, Carrol
Moler, Florence
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Moody, Dolores (deceased)

Moore, Beverly
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Moore, Marilyn
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Morgan, Frank
Morville, June
Morville, Marilyn

Moschenross, Nina
Moyer, Ronnie
Muehlebach, Bob
Mullinax, Bill
Murdock, Lois
Myers, Alan
Myers, Allen D.

JUNIORS

Myers, Ronald
Nailer, Harry
Nance, Patty
Nash, Anneta
Nash, Beverly
Nelson, Peggy
Neuendorf, Marilyn

Noland, Nancy
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Norman, Kenney
Nott, Bill
O'Connor, Audrey
Ollesh, Mary
Ooton, Nancy

Osborne, Bill
Owens, Judy
Pace, Ann
Page, Celia
Palmer, Bill
Palmeter, Carolyn
Pappas, Mauretta

Parr, Bonnie
Parrish, Betty
Pattengale, Elaine
Paul, Mary
Peck, Dick W.
Perkins, Rosalee
Phillips, Nancy

Phillips, Ronnie
Pier, Nancy
Pierce, Charley
Ping, Edna
Potrafka, Dick
Powell, Bob
Prasun, Patricia

Primm, Helen
Probst, Shirley
Propst, Jerry
Pruitt, Arlene
Puckett, Shirley
Querrey, Shirley
Quigle, Rodger

Quillan, Carole
Quinlan, Sue
Quinn, Sally
Rainwater, Don
Rambo, Herbert
Randall, Harold
Raney, Jim

Read, Jackie
Redmond, Edward
Rees, Danny
Reidelberger, Rosalie
Rendfeld, Fred
Resler, David
Rex, William

Rickard, Pat
Richardson, George
Riley, Neil
Rice, Virginia
Roberts, Kent
Robinett, Barbara
Robinson, Norma

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Rogers, Janet
Rogers, Mary Ann
Rogers, Phyllis
Roller, Joyce
Rose, Joyce
Rosebraugh, Martha
Rostek, Carol

Rozzell, Lulla Belle
Rueff, Ellen
Russell, Ruby
Scardello, Jeannette
Schroat, Maxine
Shanks, Carla
Sheets, Nelda

Shipley, Fred
Shobe, Joanne
Shotton, Joyce
Shulke, Russell
Shull, Joanne
Shultz, Emerson
Sickman, Amy

Simpson, Lynn
Simroth, Don
Skeens, Joanne
Slaughter, Eva
Slaughter, Louise
Smith, Barbara
Smith, Barbara Ann

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Smith, Floradine
Smith, Janet
Smith, Rose
Snyder, John
Sollers, Janet
Sowa, Donna

Spaugh, John
Spence, Nancy
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Standerfer, Jack
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Strachan, Bob
Stratman, Marilyn

Stearns, Bob
Stepansky, Arthur
Stewart, Marlene
Stroyeck, Dick
Susler, Sharna
Sweet, Sallie
Sweitzer, Glen

Swift, Jim
Swinford, Eugene
Tabor, Dave
Tabor, Lila
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Taylor, David
Taylor, Jack

Taylor, Shirley
Tenney, Carolyn
Tertel, Esther
Thompson, Bill
Tish, Helen
Toll, Ralph
Tooley, Betty

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Trimble, Wallace
Troutman, Janet
Truebe, Agnes
Turner, Harry
Turner, Janet
Tuttle, Dottye
Unrath, Ken

Utt, Lee
Van Meter, Dan
Viccone, Anthony
Vieweg, Nancy
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Walker, Phyllis
Wallace, Charlotte

Wantland, Burdett
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Williamson, Neil
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Witt, Mary

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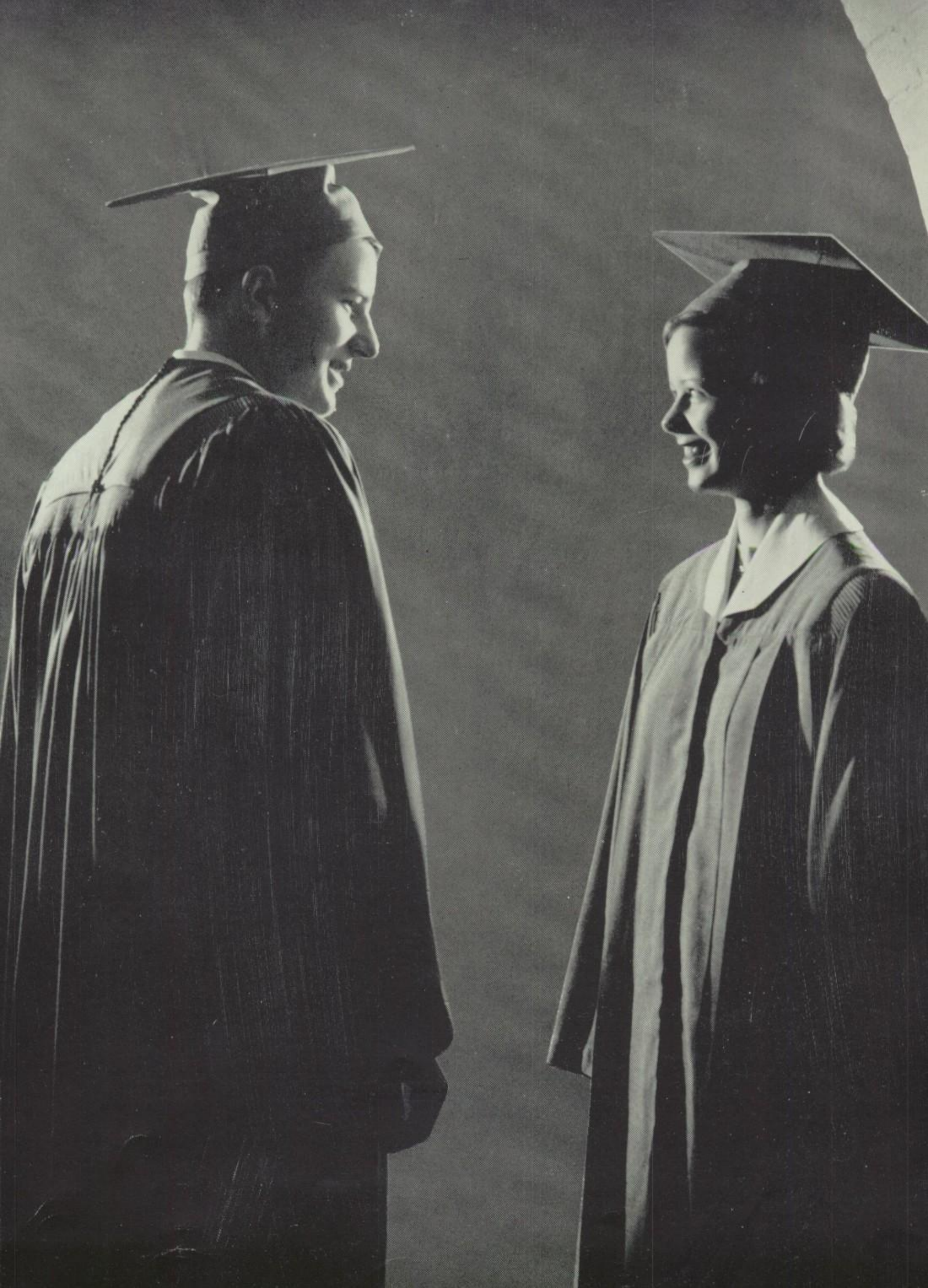
SENIORS

"Now Is The Hour"



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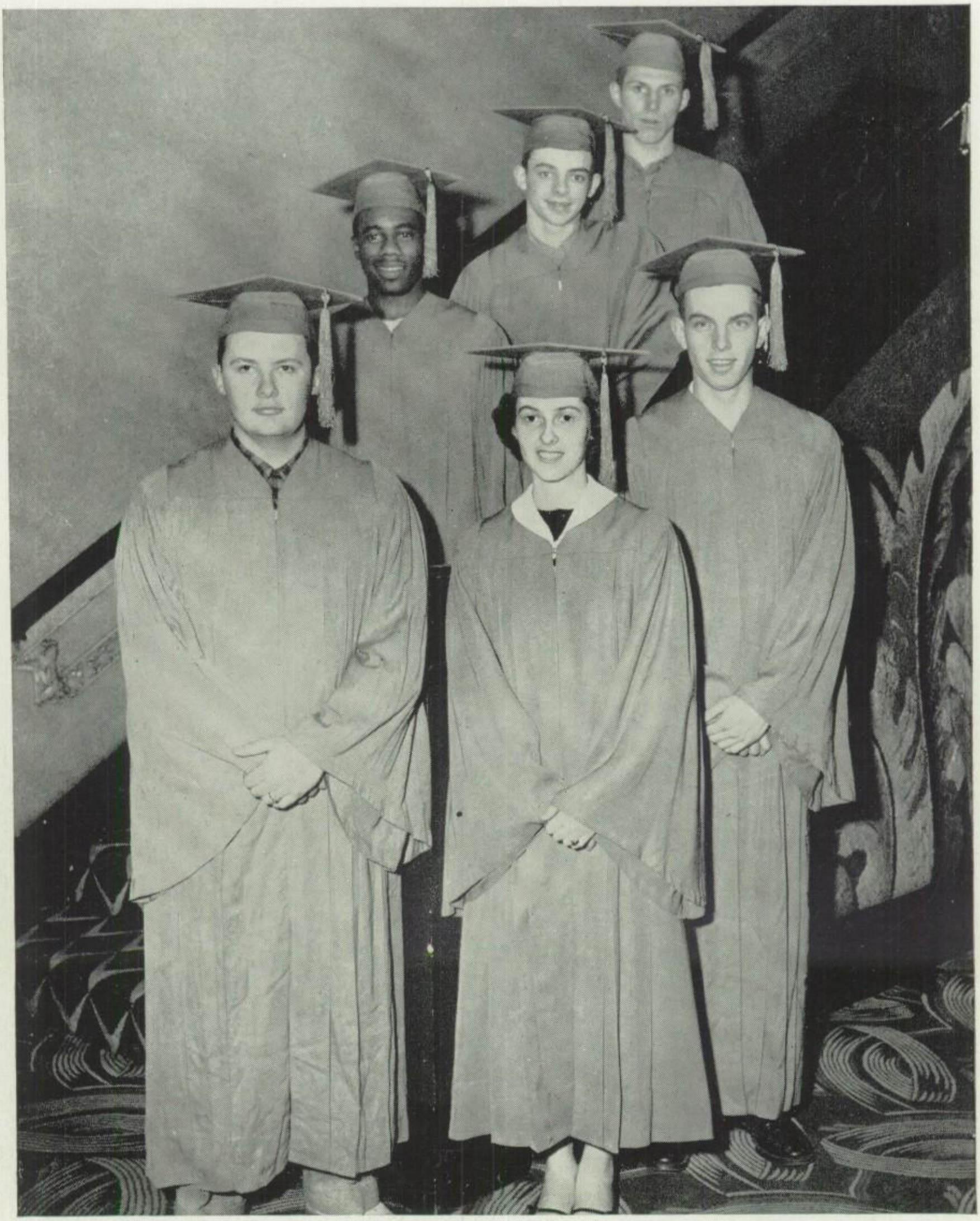


Bob Oldweiler, Vice-President; **Marianne Salogga,** Secretary; **Kayle Johnson,** President; **Marvin Hall** and **Dick Pygman,** Sergeant-at-Arms; **Paul Pritts,** Treasurer.

MID-YEAR COMMENCEMENT HONORS

MARYLOU EVANS
Valedictorian

VERNA COX
Salutatorian

MARY SKELLEY
Orator

Adams, Dorothy Jane

"Kinda quiet, not much to say,
Does her duty, goes on her way."

Announcement Committee 3; Social Committee 3.

Allen, Phyllis

"In those shining brown eyes,
The secret of her happiness lies."

Future Homemakers of America 3.

Anamias, Lorraine Ruth

"Politeness costs nothing and gains everything."

Transferred from Lanphier, 1949; Business Girls' Association 3.

Benner, Loretta

"Always a laugh, but never a sigh—
A mischievous glimmer in her eye."

Blakeman, Audrey

"A pleasant disposition is a valued acquisition."

Library Council 3.

Boyle, Rose

"Is she quiet and demure?
Maybe, don't be too sure."

Bringer, Sally

"The girl with the smile is the girl worth while."

Burke, Barbara

"I'm contented with life just as it is."

Burnett, Verlie

**"A jolly lad chuck full of fun,
He's always nice to everyone."**

"Seven Keys to Baldpate" 3.

Carr, Leslie, Jr.

**"A typical senior, 'smooth' is the word,
To say any more would be just too absurd"**

Sophomore Council; Junior Council; Student Council 2, 3; Class Play Committee 3; "Seven Keys to Baldpate" 3.

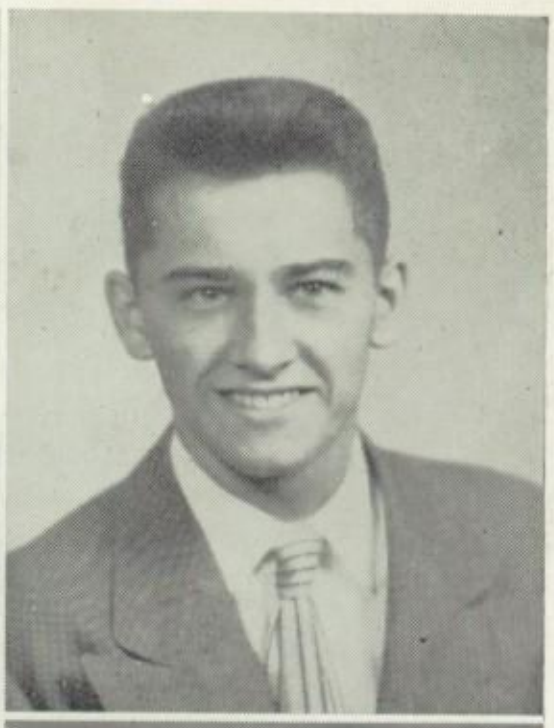
Cazier, William M.

"We could call him a quiet man, but we know him too well."

Football Manager 2; Student Council 3.

Cearlock, Don

"I won't let my studies interfere with my education."



Clavin, Patricia

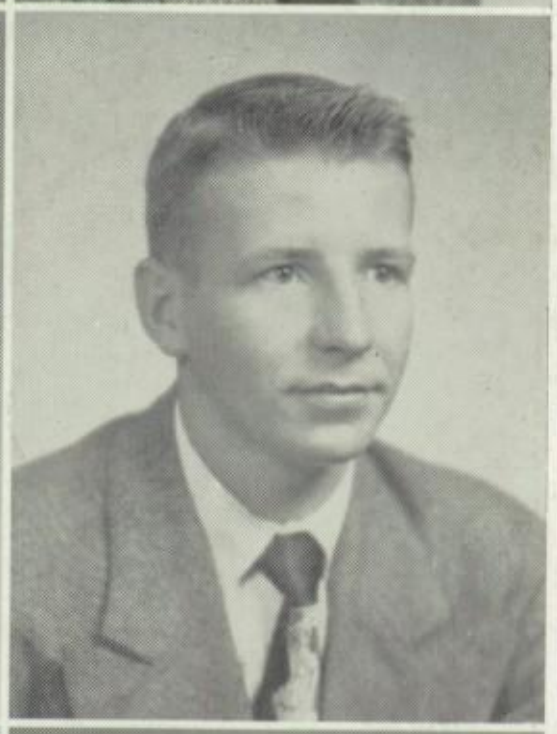
"Good nature is the very air of her mind."

Business Girls' Association 3; Junior Council.

Cope, Calvin

**"To worry little and study less
Is my idea of happiness."**

"Seven Keys to Baldpate" 3.



Cotton, Doris Eileen

"A pleasanter girl you'll never find"

Mock Convention 1; Sophomore Council; Junior Council; Senior Play Committee; Announcement Committee 3.

Cox, Verna Margaret

"Success is always won by work that is well done."

Sophomore Council; Mock Convention 1; Latin Club 1, 2, 3; Thalia 1, 2; Decanois 2, 3, Co-Editor 3; Senior Class Play Committee; National Honor Society; Discol 3; Salutatorian.

Crawley, Glen

**"Sometimes a jester; sometimes a king,
Graduation to him, another thing.**

Band 1, 2.

Culumber, William Q.

"Me and my gal."

DeCota, Thomas Richard

"Sometimes I sit and think, but mostly I just sit."

Red Rowdies 3.

Dial, Leah

**"Maiden rare with a happy air,
Combines it with a face that's fair."**

Home Room Officer 1.

Duda, Larry

**"A likable chap with a cheery way,
He may do great things some day."**

Band 1, 2, 3; Ensemble 2, 3; Homecoming Assembly 2; "Seven Keys to Baldpate" 3.

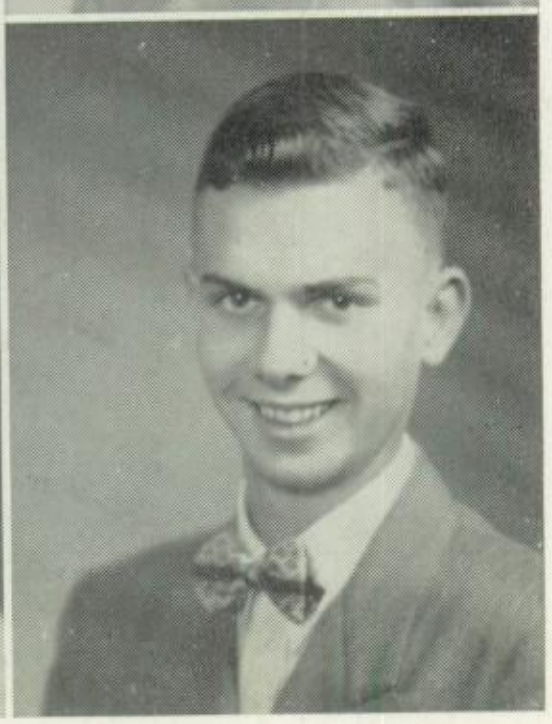
Estell, Marjorie

**"Around her head there grows so fair,
A halo of the blondest hair."**

Evans, Marylou

**"Expert in many ways
Her leadership we'll remember all our days."**

Observer 1, 2, 3, Feature Editor 2, Editor 3; Advanced Girls' 2, 3; Town Meeting 1, 2, 3, Secretary 1, Vice President 2, President 3; "Seven Keys to Baldpate" 3; Student Council 1, 2, 3, Parliamentarian 2; Thalia Play, "Daddy Long Legs" 2; National Honor Society 3; Voice of Democracy Contest, First Place 2; Latin Club 2, 3, Scriba 3; Valedictorian.



Giles, Robert

**"When he departs, 'tis our belief,
He'll breathe a sigh of great relief."**

Rifle Club 1; Home Room Officer 2.

Grace, Laura

**"A darling girl and very sweet,
She's big? No, quite petite."**

Grace, Lorraine

"She has a winning smile, but never much to say."

Graham, Alan

"I'm not afraid of work, I'm just not in sympathy with it."

Vocational Cabinet Making.

Guy, Sara

**"To worry little and study less
Is my idea of happiness."**

Glee Club A 1; Music Festival; Junior Council; Sophomore Council; Mock Convention 1.

Hall, Marilyn

"She changes her beaux, like others change clothes."

Baton Twirler 1, 2, 3; Library Assistant 1, 2, 3; Girls' Athletic Association 1; Class Play Committee 3; "Seven Keys to Baldpate" 3.

Hall, Marvin

"A boy on the field is worth ten on the bleachers."

Sergeant-at-Arms 3; Football 1, 2, 3; Track 1, 3.

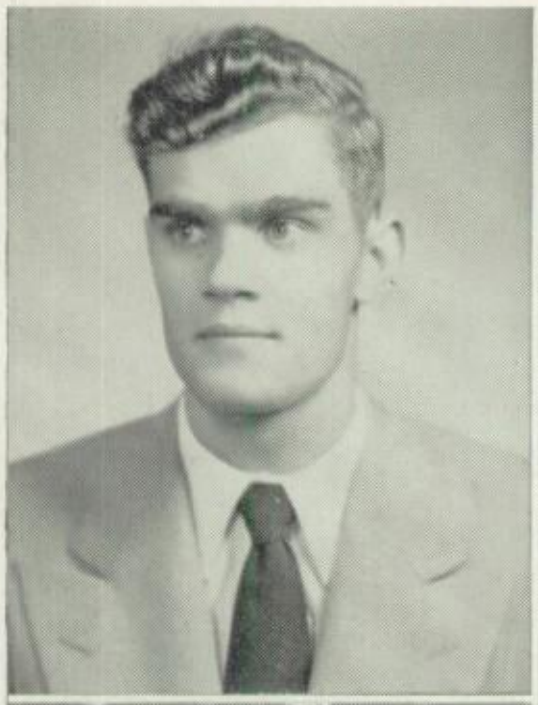
Henry, Florence

**"Rare qualities in this girl are found:
We wish more often she'd come around."**

Business Girls' Association 2, 3; Girls' Rifle Club; Science Assistant; Mock Election 1; Student Council 2.

Hettinger, Geraldine

"Never worry till worry worries you."



Hettinger, Richard

"A gentleman is one who never does the unexpected."

Hipsher, Shirlee

"What! No boys in heaven? Then I'll stay here."

Thalia 1, 2, 3; "Daddy Long Legs" 2; Girls' Glee A 1; Girls' Chorus 1; B Choir 2, 3; Christmas Vespers 2, 3; Mock Convention 1; Baton Twirler 2, 3; Library Council 1, 2.

Hunter, Jean

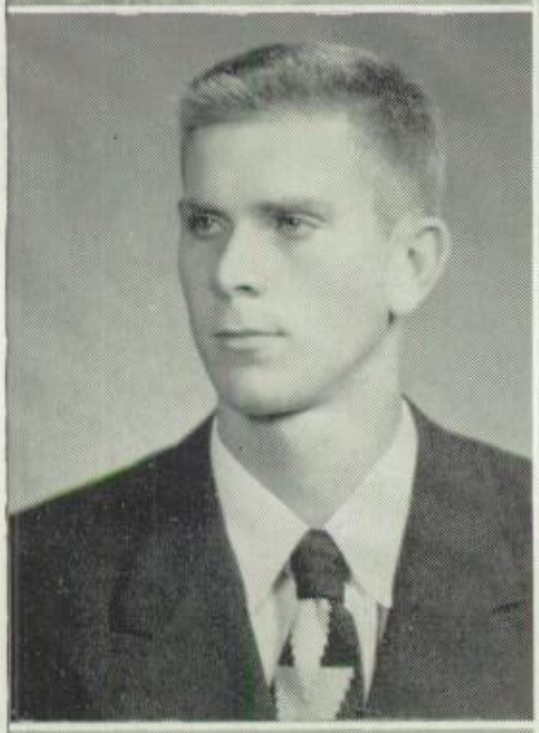
"My grades mean nothing to me; my fun everything."

Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Library Assistant 1, 2, 3; Library Council 1, 2, 3.

Jendry, Ruth Carol

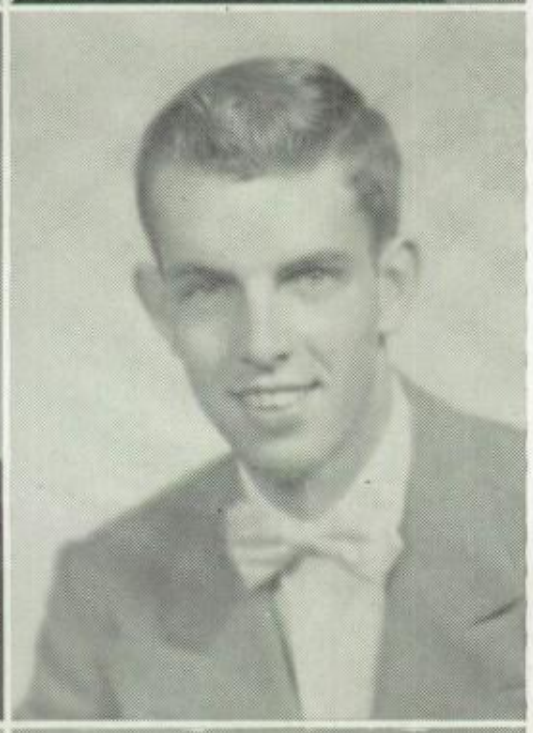
"Years may come and years may go,
But my fun will go forever."

Student Council 1, 2; Homecoming Queen Chairman 2; Business Girls' Association 3; Observer Staff 3; Class Ring Committee 3; "Seven Keys to Baldpate" 3; Class Day 3.



Jewell, Ronald

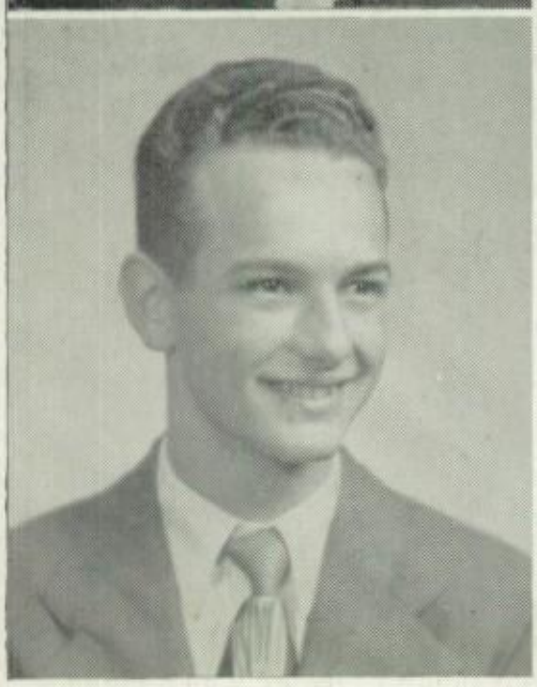
"It's such a bore to be a handsome man."



Johnson, Kayle

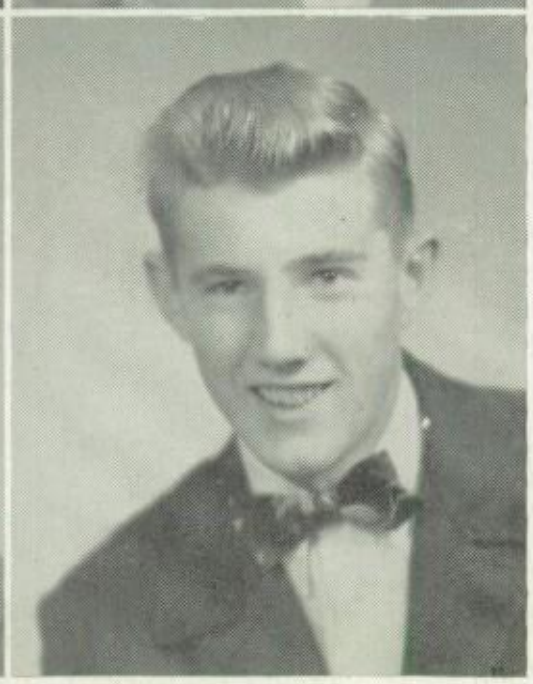
"To the polls we all went,
To make him the mid-years' president."

Class President 3; Football 1, 2, 3; Track 1, 2, 3; Red Rowdies 2.



Landgrebe, Dean

"Never loud, always quiet,
Maybe some of us should try it."



Laughery, Don

"This guy would have scads of money
If he got paid for being funny."

Library Council 1, 2, 3; "Seven Keys to Baldpate" 3.

Lynch, Jerry

"Mischief—or just full of fun?"

Cheerleader 3; Football 1; Track 1, 2, 3.

McEvoy, Thomas

**"I'm full of fun, and mischief too—
Like doin' things I shouldn't do."**

Student Council 1.

McLemore, Beverly Joyce

**"You'll find her always with a big smile for you,
Because this dear little girl is never blue."**

Maddy, Verna

**"A host of friends and a winsome smile,
This girl is happy all the while."**

Meyer, Don

"He's the people's choice. We kinda like him, too."

Miller, Frances Ann

**"The world's no better if we worry,
Life's no laugh if we hurry."**

Future Homemakers of America; Class Day 3; Junior Council.

Mills, Marilyn

"I like to talk fast because I can say more."

Sophomore Council; Music Festival 1, 2; Girls' Chorus 2; Student Council 1; "Seven Keys to Baldpate" 3; Class Day 3; Homecoming 2; Red Peppers 2; Junior Council.

Moran, Patricia

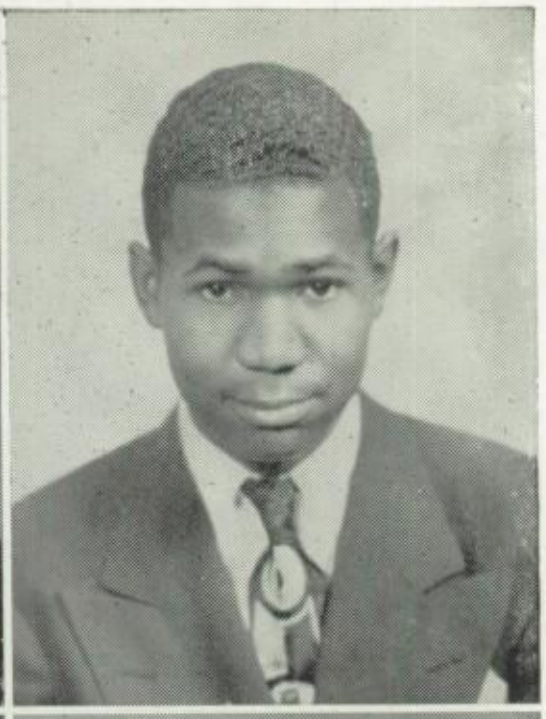
"Funny and clever, a friend forever."

Business Girls' Association; Girls' Athletic Association; Class Day 3.

Nance, Carolyn

**"Happy, busy, work well done,
But always finding time for fun."**

A Choir 1, 3; Madrigals 3; Student Council 2, 3; Business Girls' Association 2, 3; Class Day 3; Thalia 1; Girls' Chorus, Secretary 1; Cap and Gown Committee 3.



Nixon, Buford

**"Great artists are born, not found;
In artistic ability he does abound."**

Junior Art League.

Oglesby, Gwen

"Charm strikes the eye, and merit wins the soul."

Student Council 1, 2; Homecoming Parade Committee 2; Homecoming Decorating Committee 2; Latin Club 2, 3; Senior Ring Committee; Class Day Committee 3; Cap and Gown Committee 3; Scholarship Committee 3; Social Committee 3; Class Play Finance Committee 3.

Oldweiler, Robert

**"A little mischief now and then
Is relished by the best of men."**

Football 1; Lake Forest Academy 2; Class Vice-President 3.

Patterson, John

"One thing at a time is enough for my brain."

Pinner, George Edward

"And yet he seemed busier than he was."

Biology Club, Vice-President 2; Science Club 1; Photomicrography Club, Vice-President 2; Town Meeting Discussion Club 2, 3, Treasurer 3; Floral Committee, Chairman 3; Laboratory Assistant 1, 2; "Seven Keys to Baldpate" 3.

Poe, Dolores

**"Here's a peppy little gal!
Everyone will tell you she's a pal."**

Girls' Athletic Association 1; Business Girls' Association 3; Red Peppers 3; Observer Representative 2; Floral Committee 3.

Pritts, Paul

"One to score in the game of life."

Football 1, 2, 3; Track 1; Class Treasurer 3.

Pygman, Richard

**"Easy to meet, easy to know,
But not so easy to forget."**

Sophomore Council; Junior Council; Student Council; C Squad Football; B Squad Football; Sergeant-at-Arms 3; "Seven Keys to Baldpate" 3; Class Day 3; Mid-year Edition of Observer.

Richards, Wilma

**"Her cheery smile is like a banner,
You're sure to like her pleasing manner."**

Girls' Chorus 1; A Choir 1, 2, 3; Madrigals 3; "Mikado"; "Firefly"; Christmas Vespers 1, 2, 3; Easter Sunrise Service 1, 2, 3.

Richhart, Jean

"Like your favorite song, nice to know."

A Choir 1, 2, 3, President 3; Mock Political Convention 1; Student Council 2, 3; Homecoming Queen Committee 3; Christmas Vespers 1, 2, 3; "Mikado"; "Firefly"; Easter Sunrise Service 2, 3; Class Secretary 1; Observer Typist 3.

Ridlen, Charles W.

"There is great ability in knowing how to conceal one's ability."

Physics Club; "Seven Keys to Baldpate" 3.

Rogers, Robert

"Very quiet and serene, but always known at the scene."

Decanois 1, 2, 3.

Salogga, Marianne

**"Sweet and ambitious—here's one kind lass,
We're happy to have in our senior class."**

Red Cross 2, 3; Girls' Athletic Association 3; Red Peppers 3; Stage Crew 3; Ring Committee 3; Class Secretary 3; Social Committee 3; Cap and Gown Committee 3; Senior Play, Properties Committee; Class Day 3.

Sandage, Patricia Williamson

**"We love her for her willingness,
Her lovely smile and friendliness."**

Home Economics Club 1, 2, Secretary 2; Business Girls' Association 3; Aristos; Mock Convention 1.

Schmidt, Gilbert

"He was born to do something great, but what?"

Scrimpsher, Ethel May

"Determination is the master key to success."

Girls' Glee B 1; Girls' Glee A 2; B Choir 3; Advanced Girls' Choir 3; Christmas Vespers 3.

Shoemaker, Marlene

"Very quiet and equally shy
But you take two looks on passing by."

Siburt, Margie

"Treasured dreams lie in her eyes."

French Club 1; Girls' Chorus 1; A Choir 1, 2, 3; "Mikado"; "Firefly"; Big Twelve Music Festival 2, 3; Mock Political Convention 1, 2; Easter Sunrise Service 2, 3; Peoria Cavalcade of Music 3; Christmas Vespers 2, 3.

Skelley, Mary

"In art she can even draw her own conclusions."

Mock Convention 1; Mock Election 1; French Club 1, 2, 3; Sophomore Council; Herald and Review Short Story Contest, Fourth Prize 2; Art Club 2, 3; German Club 2, 3; National Honor Society 3; Class Orator 3.

Smart, Sally

"Happy am I, from care I'm free;
Why aren't they all content like me?"

Mock Political Convention 1; Junior Council; Sophomore Frolic Dance Committee; Home Room Secretary and Treasurer 1; Homecoming Queen Committee 2; Student Council 3; Senior Play Committee; Senior Constitution Committee; Student Play Director 3; Cap and Gown Committee 3.

Stahl, Janet

"A good scholar, a perfect lady."

Salesmanship Club 2; Nurse's Receptionist 3.

Stocks, Mildred

"She is just the kind whose nature never varies."

Red Peppers 3; Observer Representative 3.

Tabor, Ruth

"A friendly heart with many friends."

Girls' Glee A 1; B Choir 1; A Choir 2, 3; Modernaires 2, 3; "Firefly"; Big Twelve Music Festival 2, 3; Peoria Cavalcade of Music 3; Mock Political Convention 1; Christmas Vespers 2, 3; Future Teachers of America 3.

Tangney, Ed

"He was a character all the way through, but treat like a buddy and he's your pal good and true."

Tiernan, Norma

**"Sometimes serious, sometimes gay,
Knows when to work and when to play."**

Red Cross 2, 3, Secretary; Red Peppers 3; Girls' Athletic Association 2, 3; Senior Play Wardrobe; Social Committee, Chairman 3; Class Day 3.

Trolia, Norman E.

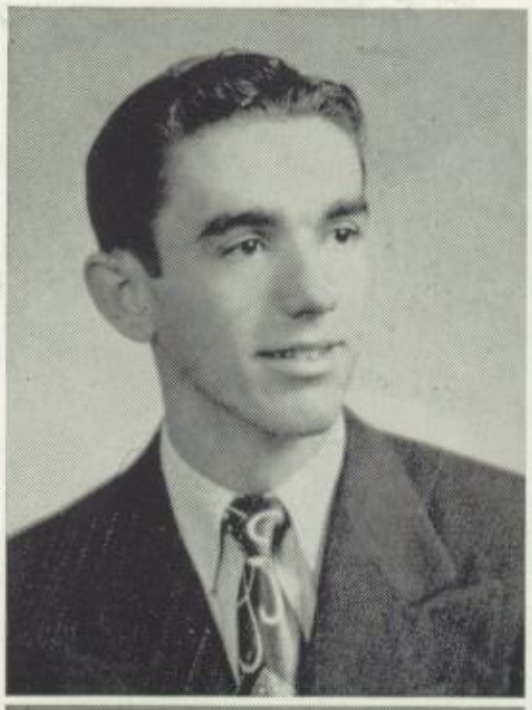
**"A musician he will surely be,
In future years, just wait and see."**

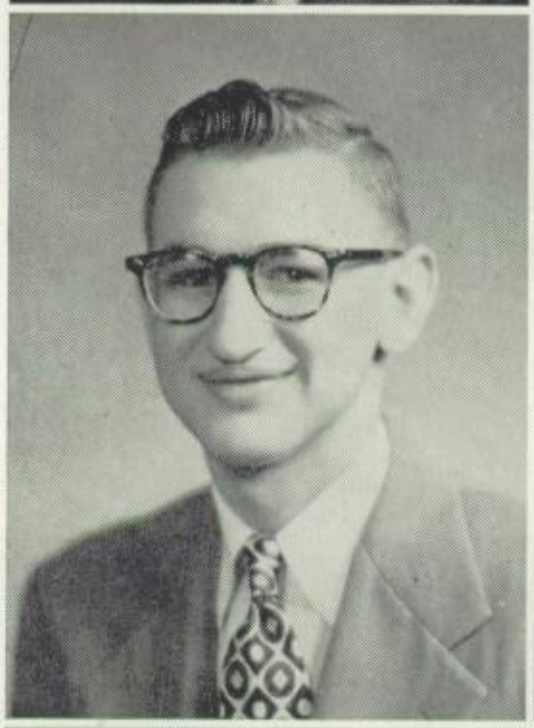
Mock Political Convention 1; A Choir 1, 2, 3; Madrigals 1, 2, 3; B Choir 1, 2; Christmas Vespers 1, 2, 3; Big Twelve 2, 3; Sophomore Council; Easter Sunrise Service 3; "Firefly"; Peoria Cavalcade of Music 3.

Waggoner, David

"Why hurry through life? You never get out alive."

Senior Dance Committee.





Waller, Robert

"He could bluff his way out of anything—even high school."

Track Manager 1, 2, 3.

Warren, Marilyn Jeanne

"Sweetness is the key of her personality."

Girls' Glee B 1; Girls' Chorus 1.

Wetherholt, Verna Gail

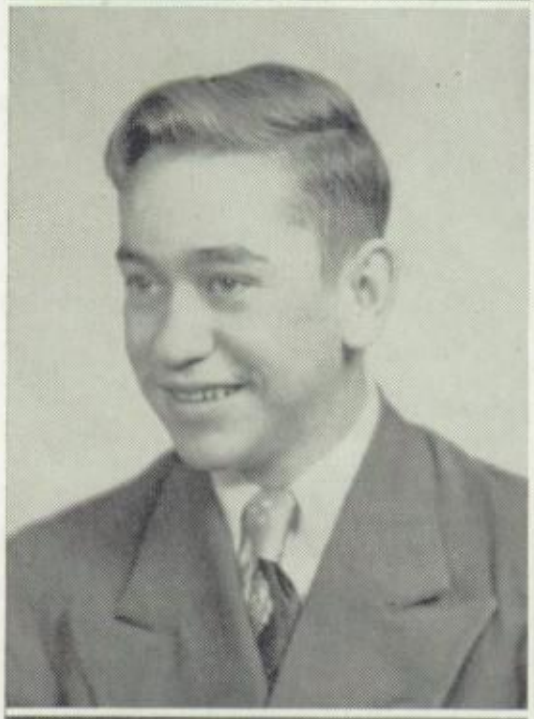
**"A pleasing manner, a pleasing smile,
Makes you stop to listen awhile."**

Girls' Athletic Association; Class Day Committee 3.

White, Dave

"Always out for a good time. Well, is that a crime?"

Golf 2.



Williams, Joan

"With a laugh and a smile and a twinkle all the while."

A Choir 2, 3; Homecoming Parade 3; Home Room Vice-President 2; Girls' Chorus 2; Mock Convention 1; Girls' Glee A 2; Junior Council Alternative; Observer Representative 1; Spring Music Festival 3; Office Assistant 3; Secretary, Home Room 2.

March, Richard

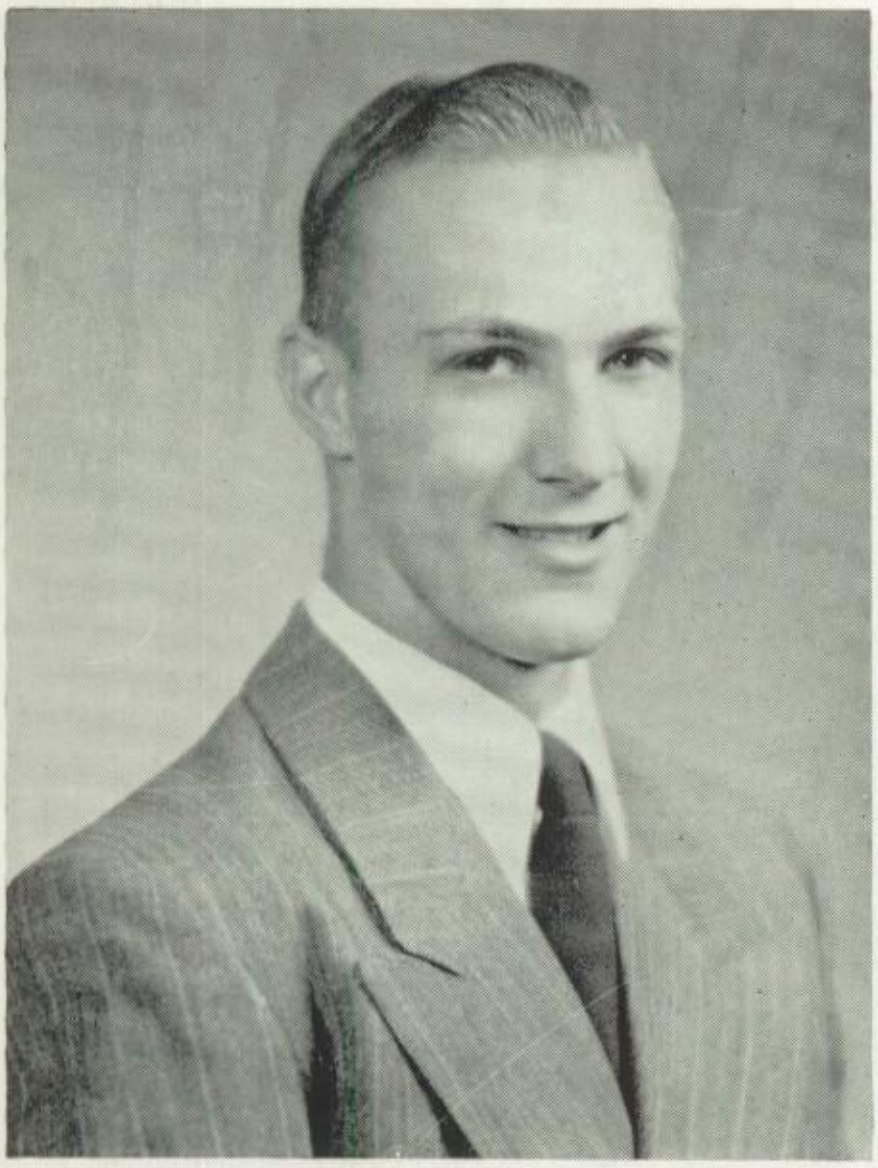
"Sigh no more, girls, sigh no more."

SENIOR AUTOGRAPHS

JUNE SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

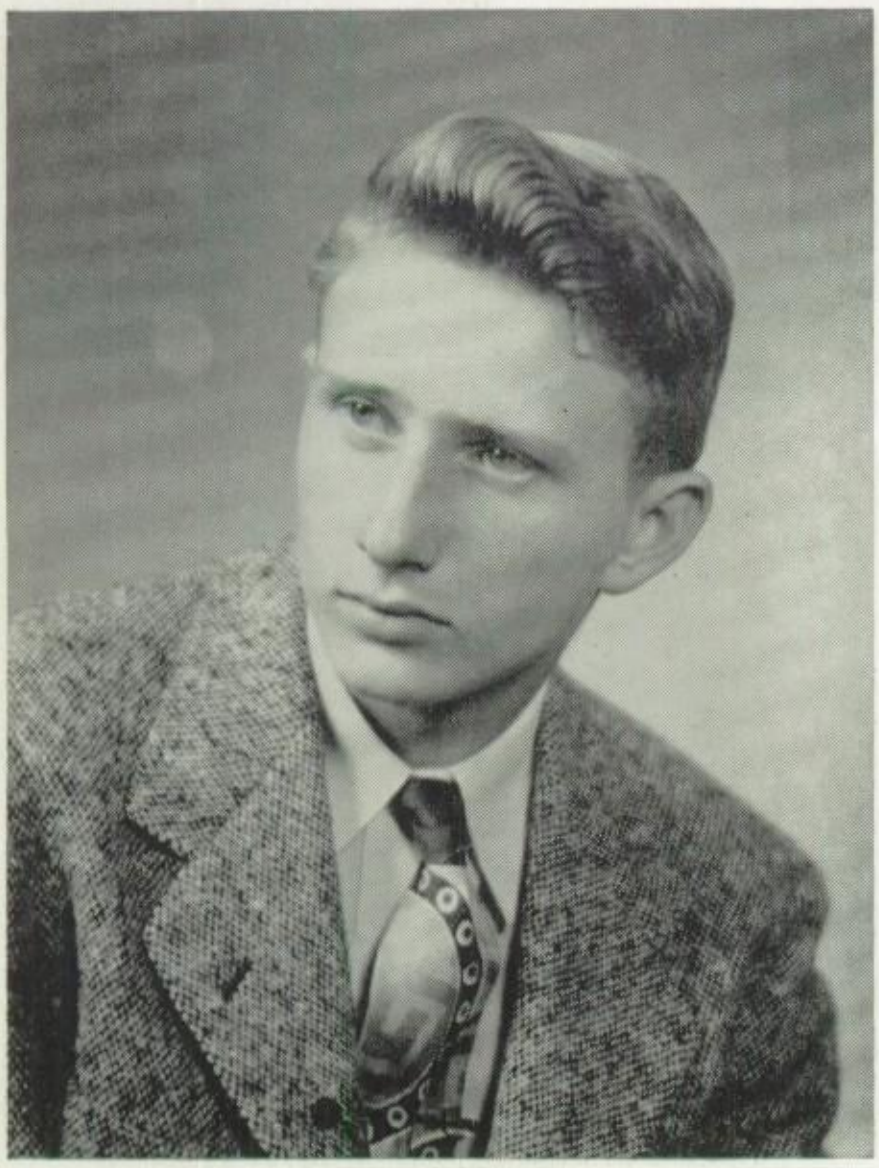
Seated: R. D. Schwarze, Sergeant-at-Arms; **Tom Murphy,** Sergeant-at-Arms; **Jack Tosh,** Vice-President.

Standing: Gerry Berry, President; **Carole Adams,** Treasurer; **Jim Olivero,** Sergeant-at-Arms; **Marcia Robinett,** Secretary; **Guido Guidotti,** Sergeant-at-Arms.

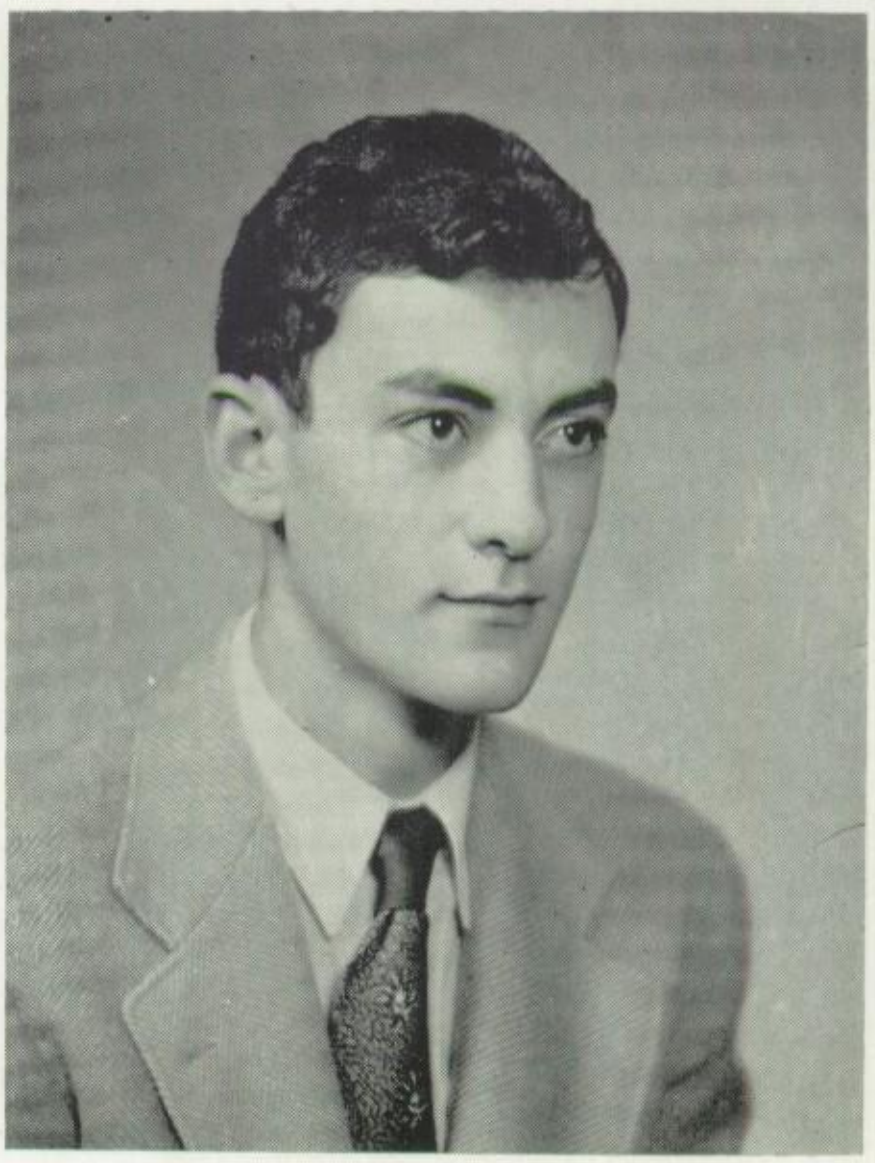


KARL MEURLOT
Valedictorian

JUNE SENIOR COMMENCEMENT HONORS



EUGENE HUBBARD
Salutatorian



ALAN COOK
Orator

Able, Aura

"Happy go-lucky, gay and free
Nothing there is that worries me."

Decanois Staff 2, 3; Faculty Editor 3; Sophomore Play; Senior Play; Home Room Officer 1; Sophomore Council.

Abraham, Barbara

"Always gay and witty
And never seen when not pretty."

Tri-Y 2.

Adams, Carole

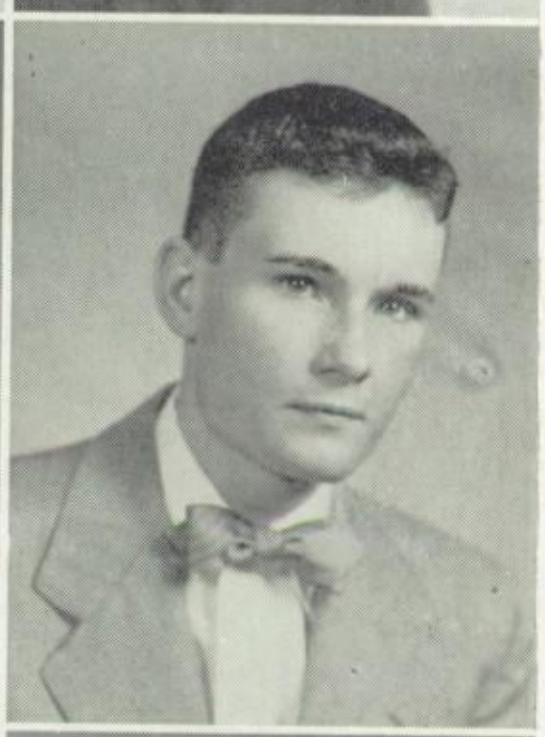
"Sweet and pleasant and winning ways,
We wish her happiness through her days."

Future Distributors of America, Vice President 3; Student Council 2; Student Council Spring Dance Committee 2; Red Peppers 1; Business Girls' Association 2; Class Treasurer 3.

Adams, Wayne

"Great things come in small packages."

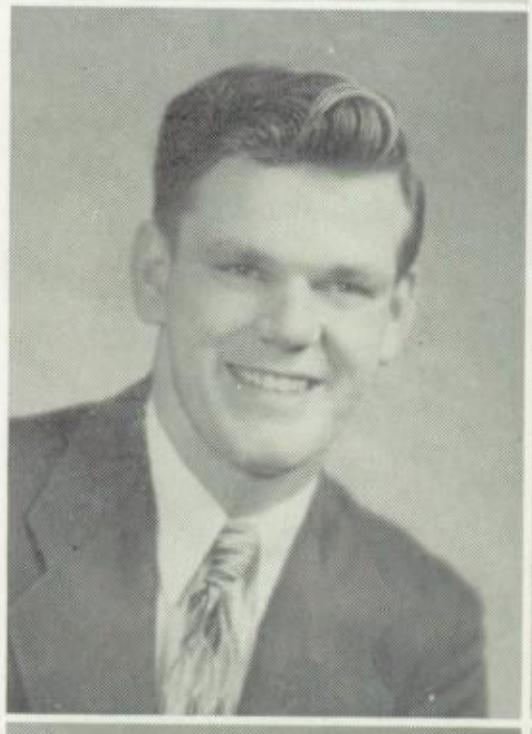
Homecoming Parade Committee; Future Distributors of America 3; Recreation Room Operations Committee 3.



Ahern, Lawrence

"The girls say he's cute,
Is there any dispute?"

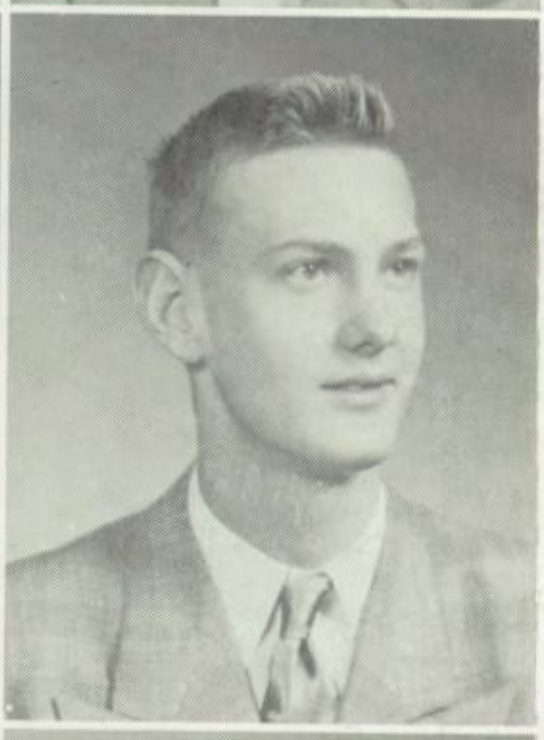
Rifle Club 1; B Choir 1; A Choir 2, 3; "Firefly" 2; "The Little Princess 1; Sophomore Dance Committee, Homecoming 3; All-State Choir 3.



Alderson, James

"He stands high in every point of view."

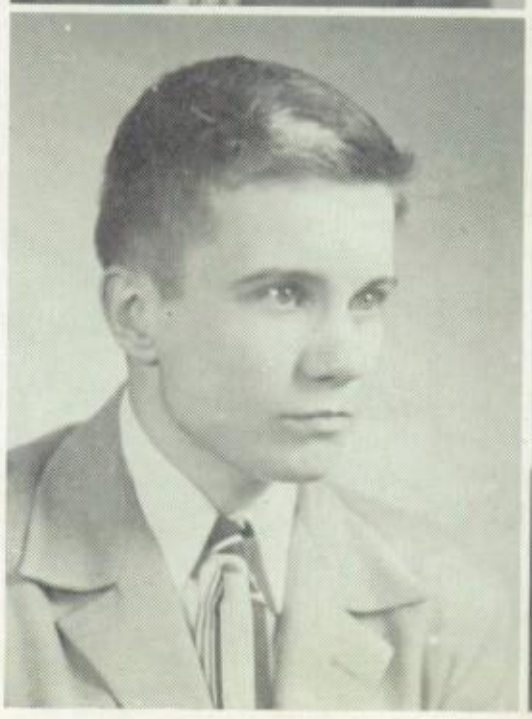
Basketball 1, 2, 3.



Allen, David

"Never hurries, never worries."

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Secretary 2.



Allen, Harold

"There buds the promise of celestial worth."

Football 2, 3; Track 2, 3; Red Rowdies 2.

Allen, Jack

**"From early morn, til day is done,
He has a smile for every one."**

Antrim, Linda

**"In athletics she's inclined
To be the best we could find."**

Usher 1, 2, 3; Girls' Athletic Association 1, 2, 3; Girls' Chorus 1, 2; Girls' Glee B 3; Junior Red Cross 2, 3; Alternate Library Representative 1.

Armstrong, Charles

"A man of few words, but bound to go far."

Basketball 1, 2, 3; Track 1; Baseball 2, 3; Student Council 2, 3; Vice-President 3; B Choir 1.

Arndt, Phil

"A man he is to all his country dear."

Future Distributors of America 3.

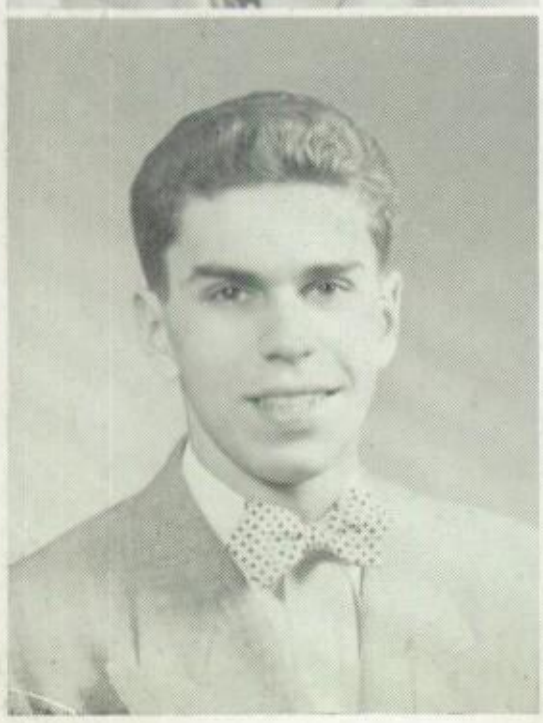
Athey, Fred

"Music hath charms."

Augustine, Betty

**"Sweet, reliable, not much to say,
Serene, she surely has a way."**

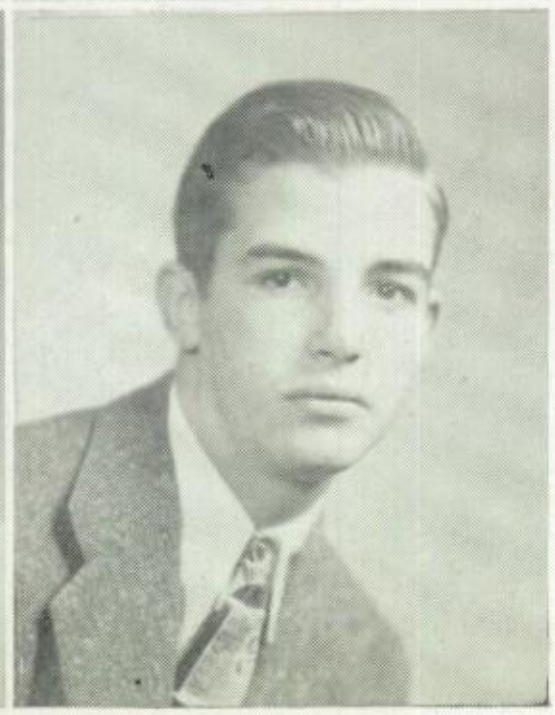
Glee B 1, 2, 3; Future Homemakers of America; Student Council 1, 2; Library Council 1, 2, 3; Junior Council; B Choir; Advanced Girls'.



Augustine, Edgar

"Life is full of fun and frolic, and so am I."

Boys' Glee Club 1; B Choir 2; A Choir 2, 3; Modernaires 2, 3; Track 1, 2, 3; Football 2, 3; Student Council 1; Library Council 2; Christmas Vespers 1, 2, 3; Red Rowdies 3.



Augustine, Ronald

"Sure to find his place in life."

B Band 1.

Babcock, Walter

"Fearless minds climb soonest into crowns."

A Band 1, 2, 3.

Badorek, Robert

"Life is not so short but that there is always time for courtesy."

Baseball 1, 2, 3; Rifle Club 1.

Bailey, Connie

"She'll always have friends wherever she goes."

Girls' Athletic Association 2, 3; Girls' Chorus 3.

Bailey, Mildred

"Gentle in manner, firm in reality."

Junior Chamber of Commerce Safety Campaign 2, 3.

Bair, James

"If he doesn't succeed, it won't be his fault."

A Band 1, 2, 3; Homecoming Game Committee Chairman 3; Junior-Senior Prom Decoration Committee; Science Club, Vice-President 2; Sophomore Talent Show; Sophomore Council; Junior Council; Dance Band 2, 3; Red Rowdies 2, 3.

Baker, Ann

"An original girl with ability to lead."

Advanced Girls' 2, 3; National Honor Society 2, 3, Discol 3; Red Peppers 2, 3, Secretary 3; Decanois 2, 3, Co-Editor 3; French Club 2, 3, Vice-President 3; Spanish Club 1, Vice-President 1; Dolphin Swimming Club 1, 2, 3; Junior-Senior Prom Committee; Girls' Glee A 1; Homecoming Skit 2.

Baker, Byron

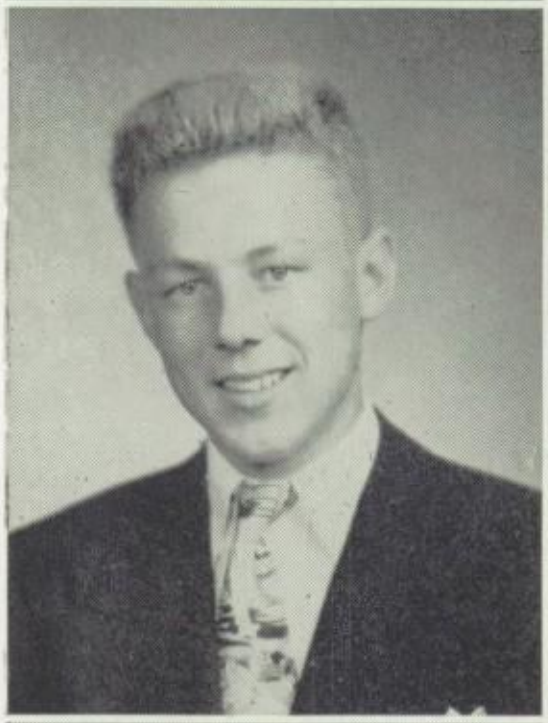
"His broad shoulders are certainly tempting!"

Basketball 1, 2, 3; Football 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1, 2; Track 1.

Balding, William

"Nature made nothing but women dangerous and fair;

Avoid 'em straight, I charge you."



Baldwyn, Nina

"A pretty girl is like a melody."

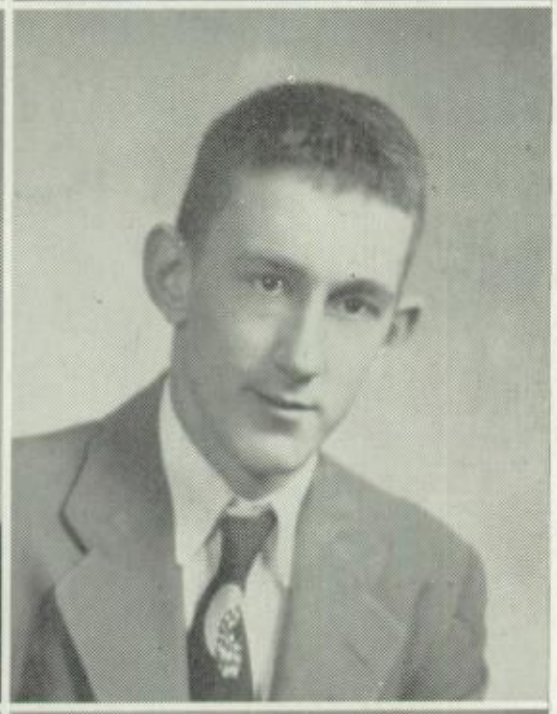
Transferred from Mt. Zion 2; Junior Art League 2, 3; Secretary-Treasurer 3; A Band 2, 3; Home Room Secretary 2; Spring Festival 2, 3; Band Concert 2, 3.

Banks, Maurice

"Take my word for it,
The world is no laughing matter."

Banton, Ed

"Tall and slim is he,
What a man he'll grow to be!"



Bart, Joseph

"A man should spend a large part of his time with laughter."

Bass, Robert

"From little sparks may burst a mighty flame."

Audio Visual Aides.

Beaman, Frank

"Hard to describe, but just as hard to equal."

A Band 1, 2, 3; Student Council Treasurer 3; Homecoming Assembly 2, 3; Auditorium Committee 2, 3; Dance Band 3; Red Rowdies, Secretary-Treasurer 2, 3; "Seventeenth Summer" 2; Vocational Interest Day Host 2; French Club 2; Champaign District Student Council Meeting 3.

Beatty, Judy

"Cute as a button, neat as a pin.
Very few hearts she can't win."

Girls' Glee A 1; Girls' Chorus 1; Advanced Girls' 2; "The Firefly" 2; Senior Class Ring Committee; Red Peppers 2, 3; Homecoming Skit 3; Paint and Powder Club 3; Senior Social Committee.

Bechtel, Leon

"I ain't dead—just speechless."

Future Distributors of America 3.

Beck, Evelyn Sue

"A good heart is better than all the heads in the world."

Latin Club; Girls' Athletic Association; Tri-Y.

Beck, Jane

**"Eyes so beautiful, as everyone knows,
Jane will have friends wherever she goes."**

"The Little Princess" 1; Girls' Chorus 1, 2; Red Cross 2; "Seventeenth Summer" 2; Future Business Leaders of America 3.

Beck, Patsy

"It takes an unbreakable spirit to succeed."

Girls' Glee B 1.

Beiler, Rosa Lee

**"In life's struggle she's bound to win,
For she's the type that never gives in."**

Girls' Athletic Association 1; Observer Representative 2; Future Distributors of America 3.

Bell, Chan

"That football certainly has a way with women."

Football 1, 2, 3; Baseball 2, 3.

Berry, Gerald

**"That which I said then, I said,
But that which I say now is true."**

Football 1, 2, 3; Baseball 2, 3; Junior Class President; Senior Class President; Red Rowdies 2, President 3; Student Council 1; Chairman of Junior Prom; Chairman of Homecoming Committee 3; Senior Host, Vocational Day 3; Illinois Art Education Association Convention 3.

Berry, Frances

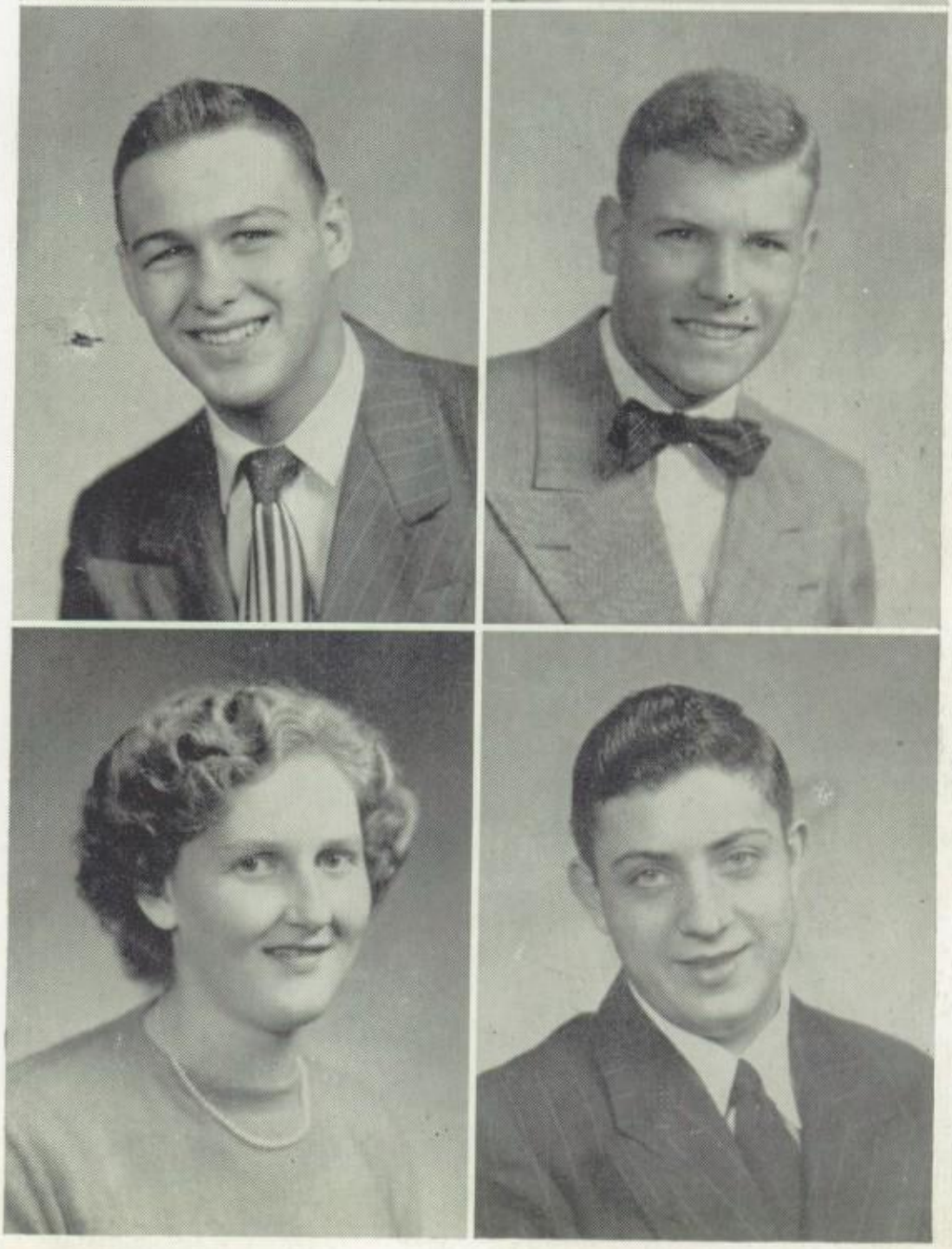
**"She's a sport in every way
Fun in work and fun in play."**

Red Peppers 2, 3; Girls' Athletic Association 1, 2, 3; Vice President 2; Ring Committee 2.

Besalke, Richard

"Sleep is the best cure for working troubles."

Future Distributors of America 3.



Bess, Glenda

"Sugar and spice and everything nice."

Library Council 1, 2; Future Distributors of America.

Birt, Deborah

"Our sophisticated lady—just plain wonderful, too!"

A Choir 2; Student Council 2, 3; Future Teachers Club 3; Red Peppers 2; Treasurer-Champaign District Association of Student Council 2, 3; B Choir 1; Sophomore Council 1; Mock Election 1; Herald-Review Short Story Contest 1, 2, 3; National Honor Society.

Bolyard, Donald

"Debate is masculine; conversation, feminine."

Future Distributors of America 3.

Bone, Patti

"Work or play—let's have fun."

A Band 1, 2, 3; Spring Festival 1, 2, 3; Observer Representative 1; Business Girls' Association 2, 3.

Bradshaw, Gary

"I would rather be sick than idle."

Student Council 1; Baseball 2, 3; Audio Visual Aides 3; Red Rowdies 2, 3; Prom Committee (Chairman).

Brandenburg, Evelyn

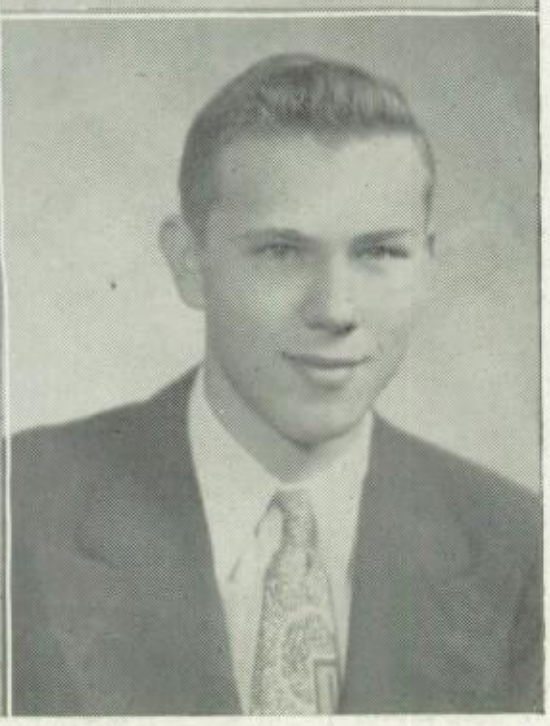
"I count it a sin if not a crime to stay home and study all the time."

Mixed Chorus 1; Advanced Girls' 2; "The Firefly" 2; Future Business Leaders of America 3.

Bridgman, Jean

"Always sweet and always gay
Nicest girl in every way."

Business Girls' Association 2, 3; Observer, Bookkeeper 2, 3; National Honor Society 2, 3; Red Peppers 2, 3; Usher "Little Princess" 1; Usher "Daddy Long Legs" 1; Usher "Seventeenth Summer" 2; Directory, Bookkeeper 3.



Bright, John

"Some folks seem glad even to draw a breath."

Brix, Natalie

"Virtue has its reward."

Sophomore Council 1; Girls' Athletic Association 1, 2; Red Cross 3; German Club 2, 3, President 3; "The Little Princess", Property Committee 1; "Seventeenth Summer", Property Committee 2; Permanent Stage Crew Committee; Red Peppers 3.

Brohez, Shirley

"Sweet and lovely."

Home Economics 1; Business Girls' Association 2.

Brown, Dee

"We'll keep aims sublime, our eyes straight ahead."

Herald and Review Story Contest 1; Sophomore class play "Little Princess"; Junior class play "Seventeenth Summer"; Boys' State; Observer 1, 2, 3; Directory 2, 3; Paint and Powder 3; Thalia 3; I Speak For Democracy 3; Vocational Day Host 2.

Brown, Marilyn

"Sparkle and flash go her eyes,
Lovely looks and perfect size."

Mock Election 1; B Choir 2; Girls' Athletic Association 2; Girls' Chorus 2; Red Peppers 1, 2, 3.

Bruns, Carol

"She can please most of the people all of the time."

Sophomore class play 1; Girls' Glee B 1; Girls' Glee A, 2; B Choir 3; German Club 2, 3, Treasurer 3; Junior Red Cross 2, 3; Paint and Powder Club 3; National Honor Society 2, 3; Discol and Secretary 3.

Buckles, Bob

"Here's a boy who's always near,
He's friendly, quiet, and sincere."

"B" squad football 1; "A" squad football 2; Commodore of Junior High School Yacht Club 2, 3; "B" Band 2.

Buckley, Thermon

"I am a man!"

Burge, Barbara

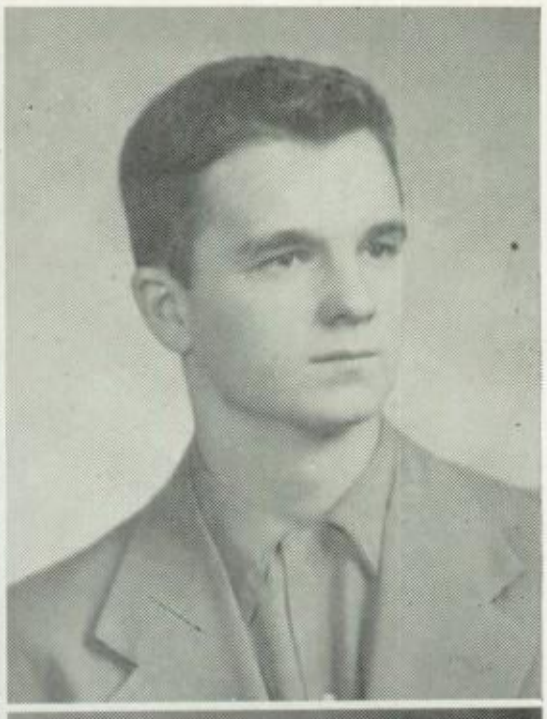
"Blonde, cute—and, well, don't you think she's swell?"

Business Girls' Association 2, 3; Swimming Club 1, 2, 3; "Seventeenth Summer," Property Committee 2; Girls' Glee A 1.

Burge, William

"I might be better if I would,
But it's awfully lonesome living good."

Boys' Glee Club 1; Mixed Chorus 1; B Choir 1, 2; A Choir 3.



Burns, Don

"They never fail who die.
I think I'll die."

Cheer Leader 3; President of Boys' Glee 3.

Butler, William

"Singing he likes, so singing he does."

B Choir 1; A Choir 1, 2, 3; "Mikado" 1; "Firefly" 2; Thalia 3; Paint and Powder 3; Modernaires 1, 2, 3; Rifle Club 1; Junior Art League.

Butt, Patty

"Laughing or quiet, we like her either way."

Future Distributors of America 3.

Calvert, Jack

"Jack of all trades, master of none,
Leaves girls alone, but still has fun."

President of Boys' Glee Club 1; "B" squad Basketball 1; Vocational Cabinet Making 2, 3.

Camerer, Grace

"Full of fun and mischief, too,
Does the things she likes to do."

Business Girls' Association 2, 3, Vice-president 3; "Little Princess" 1; Advanced Girls' 2, 3; B Choir 1; "The Firefly" 2.

Campbell, Geraldine

"A light heart which will live long in our memory."

Thalia.

Campbell, Virginia

"I'm contented with life just as it is."

Cathcart, Robert

"I mind my own affairs."

Cearlock, R. Duane

"A brave man struggling in the storm of fate."

President, Sophomore Class 1; Vice-president, Junior Class 2; Student Council 1, 2; Auditorium Committee 1, 2; Dance Band 1, 2, 3; Head of Parade for Homecoming 2; A Band 1, 2, 3.

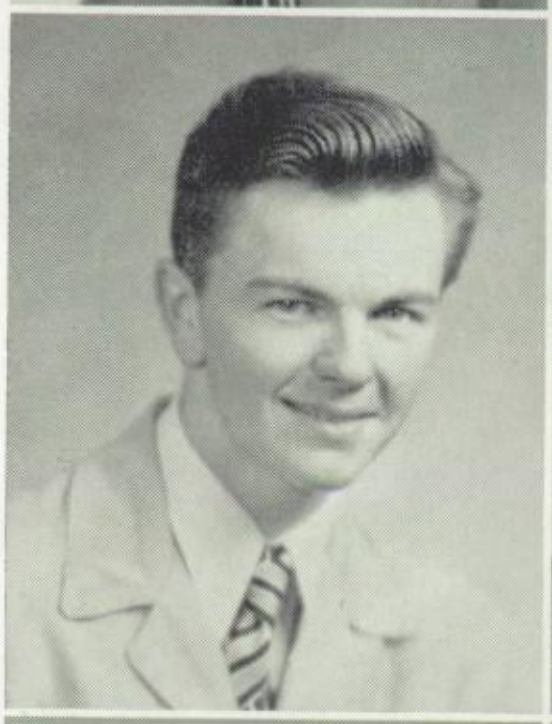
Chandler, Allen

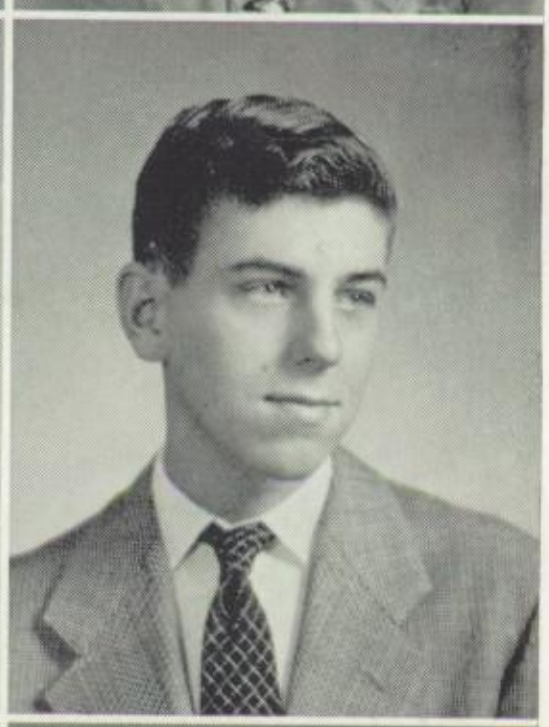
"He only is a well-made man who has a good determination."

B Choir.

Chappell, George

"Me? Admit defeat? Never!"





Chase, Anna

**"Always active, always gay,
Wears a smile throughout the day."**

Girls' Athletic Association 1; Library Staff 1, 2, 3; Baton Twirler 2.

Chepan, Jane

"Her sparkling eyes and winning smile—make knowing her worth our while."

Christensen, Robert

**"We show our present giggling, joking race;
True joy consists in quality and grace."**

Student Council 1, 2; Home Room Officer 1, 2; Red Rowdies 2, 3; Chess Club Officer 1, 2; National Honor Society 2, 3; Decanois 3; "Cyrano de Bergerac," 3; Class day.

Claus, La Verne

**"Work and play may not be one
But she does both as if they're fun."**

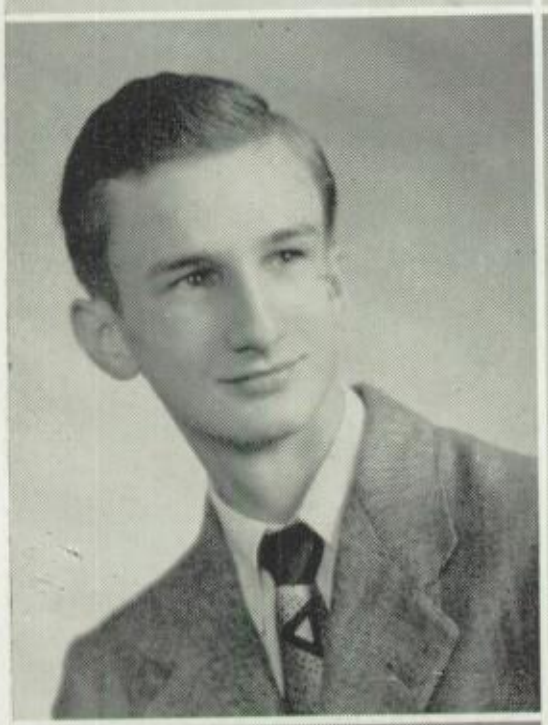
Coe, Marie

**"She's reserved and quiet too,
Yet lots of fun, 'tis true."**

Crystal Birds 1, 2, 3.

Colbert, Henry

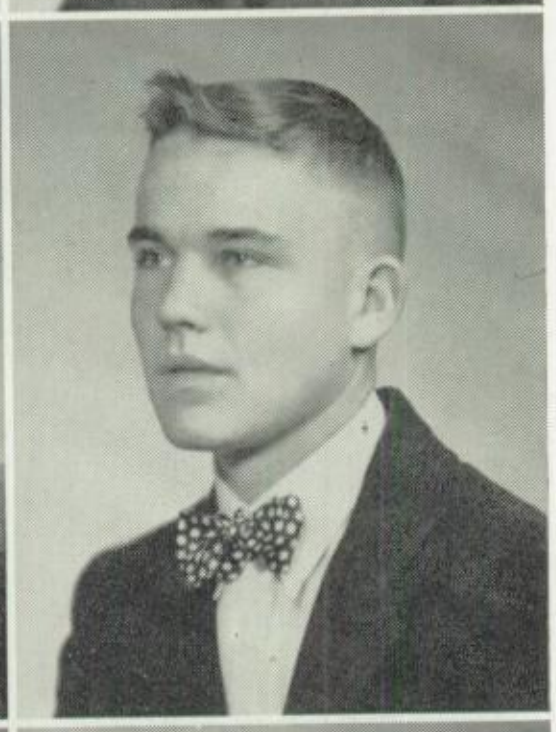
"Make much of me; good men are rarely found."



Colbert, Jerry

"That is as well said as if I had said it myself."

Boys' Glee Club 2; Distributive Education; Future Distributors of America.



Colebar, Howard

"Now how did you come to that conclusion?"

Chess Club.

Comer, Nancy

"Joy is not in doing things—it is in us."

French Club; Make-up Club; Red Cross; Sales Class.

Cone, Barbara

"Small in size, huge in personality."

Tri-Y 1; Red Peppers 2, 3; Observer Representative 2, 3; Library 3.

Conlon, Lawrence

"All philosophy lies in the two words 'sustain' and 'abstain'."

Sophomore Talent Show 1; Junior Talent Show 2; Observer Advertising Department; Latin Club.

Connolly, Patricia

"Vivacious, attractive—tops for fun."

Girls' Chorus 1; B Choir 2; A Choir 3; Orchestra 2, 3; Homecoming Auditorium 3; Red Peppers 2; Library Council 1; Business Girls' Association 2; Home Room Officer 1; Junior Council 2.

Conover, Michael

"A disposition to match his laughing eyes."

Cook, Alan

"Tis not my talent to conceal my thoughts."

National Honor Society; Sophomore Council.

Cook, John

"Nonsense and study do not agree—I'm sure the latter is not in me."

Football 1, 2; Track 1; Senior Constitution Committee.

Cooney, Gloralie

"A grand gal—need we say more?"

Red Peppers; Mixed Chorus; Advanced Girls'; Recreation Room Committee; "The Firefly"; All-State Chorus.

Corley, Jack

"Did someone ask for me?"

Audio Visual Aides 3; Stage Manager 1, 2.

Corman, Kay

"Lovely Kay has many hearts awhirl;
She's our indoor, outdoor, all-around girl."

Dana High School, Dana, Indiana 1; Cheerleader; Homecoming Queen; Future Homemakers of America; Cheerleader 2, 3; Junior Class Play 2; Sophomore Home Room Officer 1; Homecoming Assembly 3.

Corrington, Robert

"Sir Walter Raleigh of today,
His car helps maidens on their way."

Football 1; Golf 2, 3; Junior Council; Prom Committee.

Crisman, Robert

"I have trod this path a hundred times. I'm on my last mile."

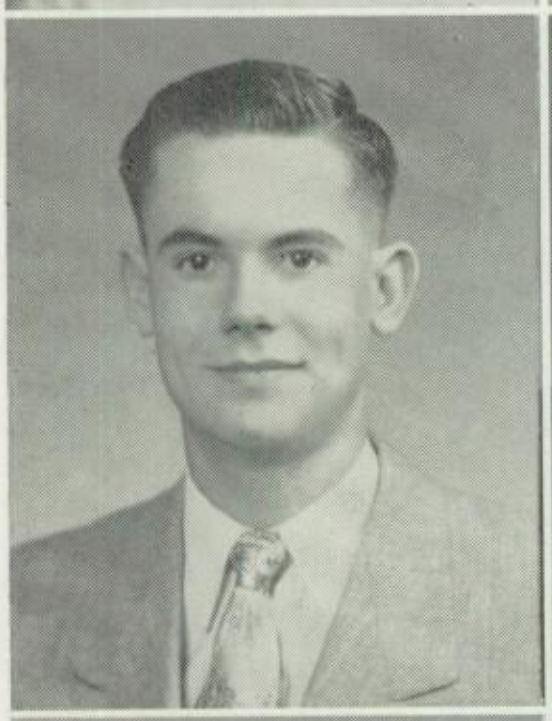
Crow, Jeaneen

"She does little kindnesses that most leave undone."

Fun Club Council 1, 2, 3; Business Girls' Association 2; Girls' Glee "A" 1; Homecoming Assembly 3; Home Room Officer 1; Junior Council 2; Homecoming Dance Committee 1, 2; "Y" News Bulletin 1, 2, 3; Fun Club President 3; Homecoming Game Committee 2; Student Council Alternate 1.

Cummins, Franklin

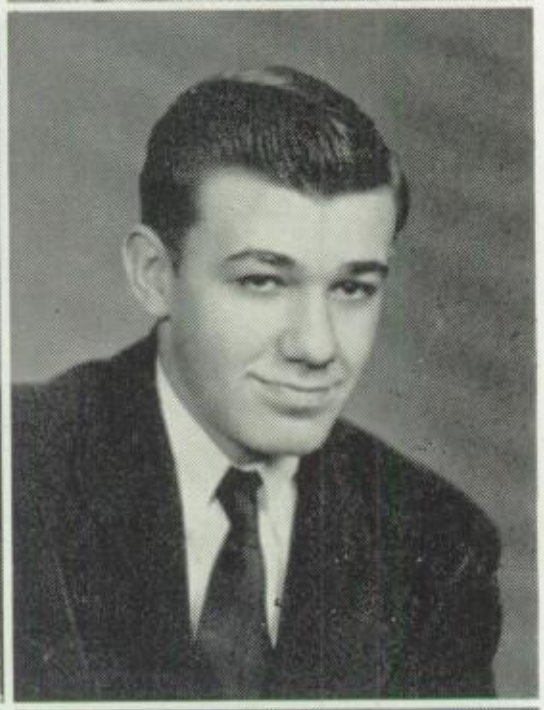
"Good-bye proud school. I'm leaving."



Cuttill, C. Dean

"Haughty thought be far from me.
Friend with friends I want to be."

Boys' Glee Club 1; B Choir 2; A Choir 2, 3; "The Firefly", 2; Red Rowdies 2, 3; Golf team 2.



Dailey, James

"Spritely gentle, polite, sincere;
And only of thyself a judge severe."

Band; Red Rowdies.

Danner, Barbara

"A merry heart is better than gold."

Daugherty, Joan

"Once you know her you will say—
Here's a girl who's quite O. K."

Sophomore Council; Homecoming Committee; Red Peppers 3.

David, Marilyn

"It seems as if she is always in a good mood."

B Choir 1; Advanced Girls' 2, 3; "The Firefly" 2; Homecoming Assembly 3.

Davis, Barbara

"Barbara has a manner quiet and kind
And a truer friend you'll never find."

Junior Art League 1, 3; Decanois 3; National Honor Society 3; Sophomore Council 1; Home Room Officer; Girls' Athletic Association 1; Spanish Club 2; "Don't Take My Penny," business manager.

Davis, Robert

"Great things usually have small beginnings."

Red Rowdies 2, 3; Mixed Chorus 1; B Choir 1, 2, 3; Track 1, 3; Homecoming Program 2, 3; Sophomore Play 1; Big 12 Music Festival 1, 3; Christmas Vespers 2, 3.

Day, Harriett

"A lovely dancer she could be,
She has such gracious quality."

Advanced Girls' 1, 2, 3; Madrigals 3; Latin Club 2, 3; Thalia 2, 3; Red Peppers 3; "Firefly" 2; Observer 2, 3; Sophomore Council 1; Paint and Powder Club 3; Photomicrography Club 1, 2.

Deadmond, Donald

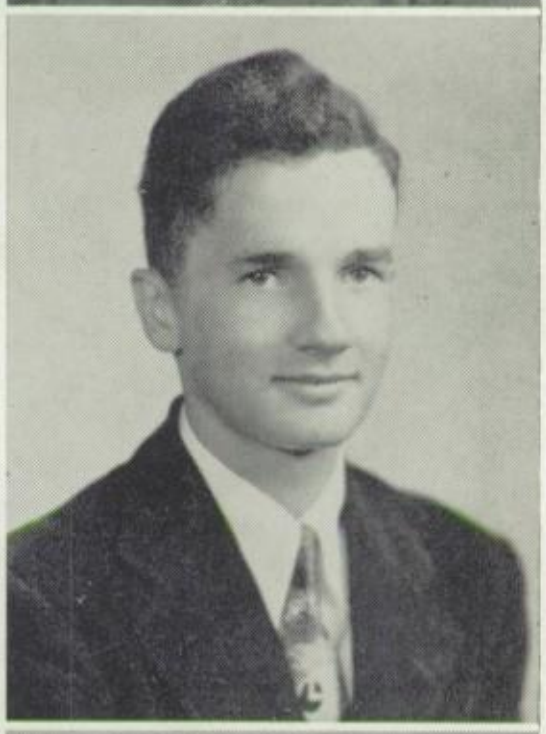
"Don't let the name fool you.
He's very much alive."

Track 1; Student Council 1; Vocational Electricity 3; Public Address System 3.

Deakins, Roger

"Solitude is sometimes best society, and short retirement urges sweet returns."

Latin Club 2; "Seventeenth Summer," 2; Directory 2; Observer 2; "Little Princess" 1; Hi-Y 1; Student Council 2.



Dean, William

"Happy-Go-Lucky"

Homecoming Skit 3.

Dellert, Mary

"A sign of coming mischief."

Glee B 1; Girls' Chorus 2; B Choir 3; Christmas Vespers 2; Business Girls' Association 2; Junior Class Play Committee 2; Junior Council 2; Librarian 1, 2, 3.

DeClercq, Maurice

"His actions won such respect."

Deardorff, Mary

"With her cocoa brown eyes and honey brown hair,
She's as lovely a girl as you'll find anywhere."

Girls' Glee B 1; Girls' Glee A 2; Class Play 3; Library Representative 1.

Devore, Joyce

"Her very frowns are fairer far
Than smiles of other maidens are."

Business Girls' Association 2, 3; Red Peppers 2.

Dexter, Donna

"The mildest manners and the gentlest ways."

Girls' Athletic Association 1, 2, 3; Business Girls' Association 2, 3.

Dial, Richard

"Worry kills men—I'm in the best of health."

Observer Staff 3.

Doty, Barbara

"An open-hearted girl."

Glee A; Glee B.

Duguid, William

"Let me go wher'er I will."

Duncan, Martha

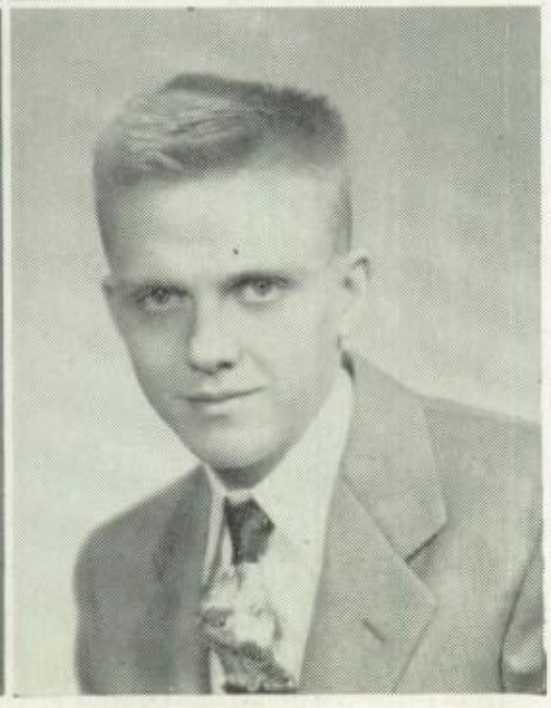
"Her friendship is your gain."

Girls' Chorus 1; Advanced Girls' 2, 3; Business Girls' Association 2; Red Peppers 2; "Firefly" 2; Big Twelve 2; Spring Festival 1, 2; Vespers 2, 3.

Durchholz, Paul

"He stood, where others fell, and held the tide."

B Squad Football 1; A Squad Football 2, 3; B Band 1; Public Address System 2, 3; Student Council 3.



Dworak, Vernon

"Of all wits' uses, the main one is to live well with who has none."

Earl, Marilyn

"Dynamite comes in small packages."

Business Girls' Association 2; Red Peppers 2, 3; Girls' Glee A, 2; Music Festival 2; Student Council (Alternate) 1, 2, 3; Junior Council 2.

Eaton, Norma

**"Always thoughtful, always fair,
Always ready to do her share."**

Glee B 1; Glee A 1; Girls' Chorus 2; Business Girls' Association 2, 3; B Choir '3; Christmas Vespers 3; Sophomore Council 1.

Ehrhart, Bette

**"Good at sports and having fun,
She is friendly to everyone."**

Sophomore Council 1; Sophomore Frolic Committee.

Ellinger, Jessie

"Silence is often advantageous."

Library Council 1, 2.

English, Henry

**"Friends to me are frozen wine,
I want the sun on them to shine."**

Ernst, Larry

"Twelve whole years, and I'm finally out."

Evans, Richard

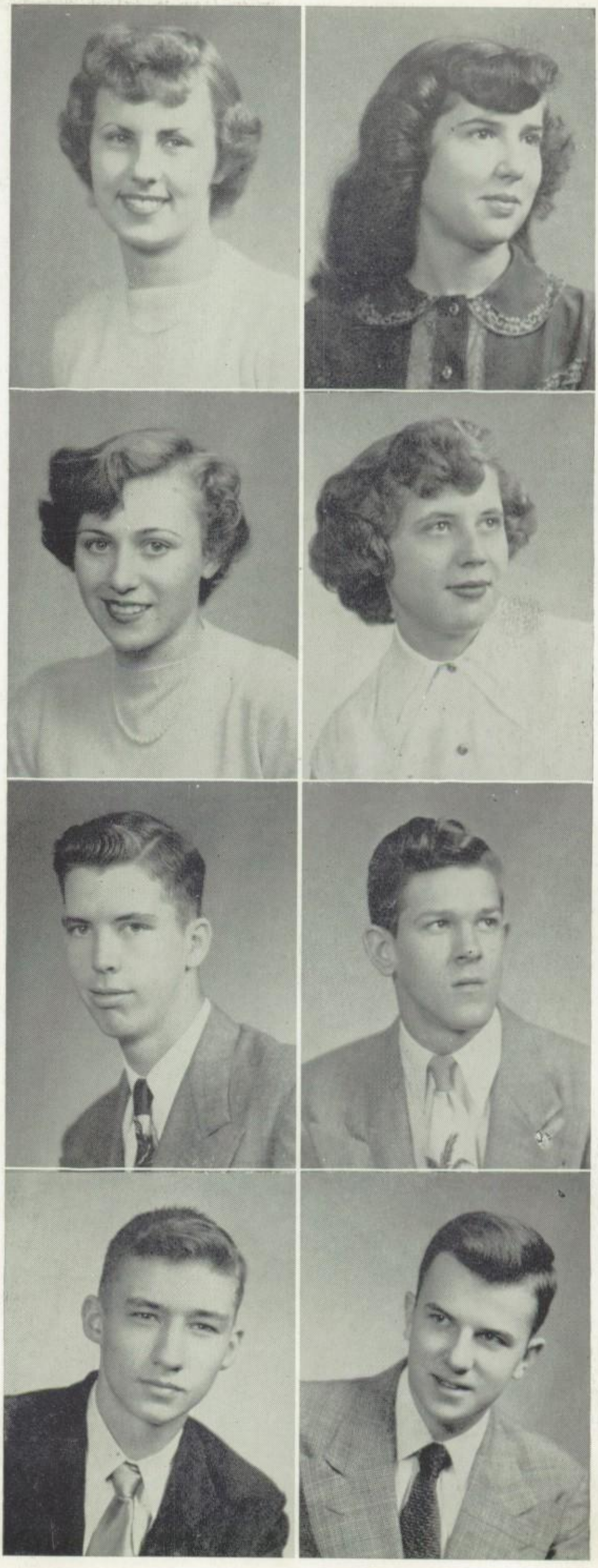
"I never intend to die from overwork."

Football Manager 1, 2, 3; Basketball Manager 2, 3; Track Manager 2; Modernaires; A Choir 1, 2, 3; "Firefly"; "Mikado"; Junior Council 2; Big 12 Music Festival 1, 2, 3; Homecoming Program 3; Chess Club 1.

Fancher, Louis

"Men, like bullets, go farthest when they are smoothest."

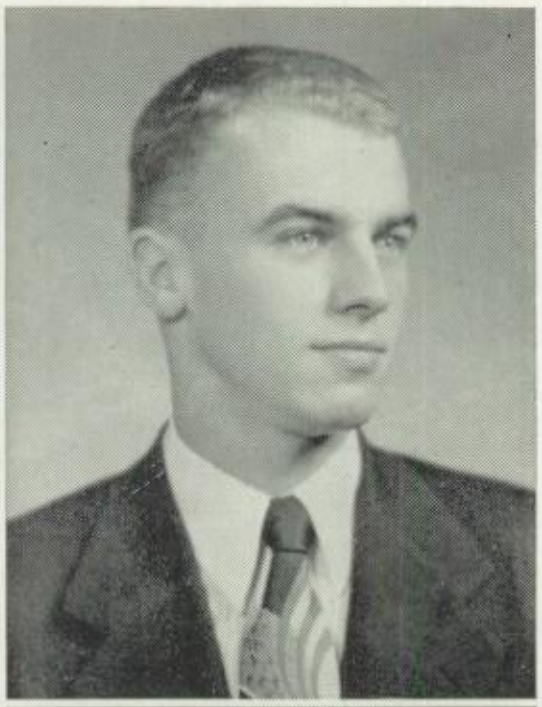
National Honor Society 2, 3; Discol 3; Homecoming 2, Chairman 3; Decanois 2, 3; Student Council 1; Home Room Officer 1; Chairman, Prom Committee 2; Boys' State 3; Junior Kiwanian.



Felts, Carol

"Capable, capricious, captivating."

Student Council 1; Junior Council; National Honor Society 2, 3; Decanois 2, 3; Red Peppers 2, 3; "Little Princess" 1; Advanced Girls' 2, 3; Student Director, Junior Play; Discol 3; Class Play 3.



Ferre, Raymond

"When joy and duty clash, let duty go smash."

Football 1; Track 1, 2; Sophomore Council; Junior Council; Senior Class Play Committee.

Finch, Shirley

"A pretty little miss with a friendly way,
We like her better every day."

Business Girls' Association 2, 3, Secretary 3.

Finley, Robert

"Music is his greatest art,
Just listen how he sings his part."

B Choir 1; A Choir 2, 3, Vice-president 3; "Firefly" 2; Hi-Y 1; Red Rowdies 2, 3; Homecoming Parade 3.

Fischer, Joyce

"For a sweet disposition, she takes first prize."

Future Business Leaders of America 3; Junior Council.

Fisher, John

"Tall in height, as tall in friends,
Quite a few, they have no end."

Fish, John

"An extraordinary boy with a flair for music."

B Choir 1; A Choir 1, 2, 3; "Mikado" 1; "Firefly" 2; Thalia 3; Modernaires 1, 2, 3; Rifle Club 1; "Pirates of Penzance"; "Don't Take My Penny."

Flanders, Glenna

"Here's a girl we know will succeed,
Our worker, our helper, a real friend indeed."

National Honor Society, Vice President 3; Student Council 2; Homecoming 3; Observer Representative 1, 3; Spring Fever Dance 2; Latin Club 2, 3; Scholarship Committee 3.

Fleming, William

**"If I'm not so large as you,
You're not so small as I."**

B Band 1, 2; Audio Visual Aides 1, 2, 3; Rifle Club 1.

Foster, Dayton

**"I know not why I came again,
Unless to learn it's ten times ten."**

Football 1; Prom Committee; Sophomore Council; Home Room Officer; Yacht Club.

Fox, Kathryn

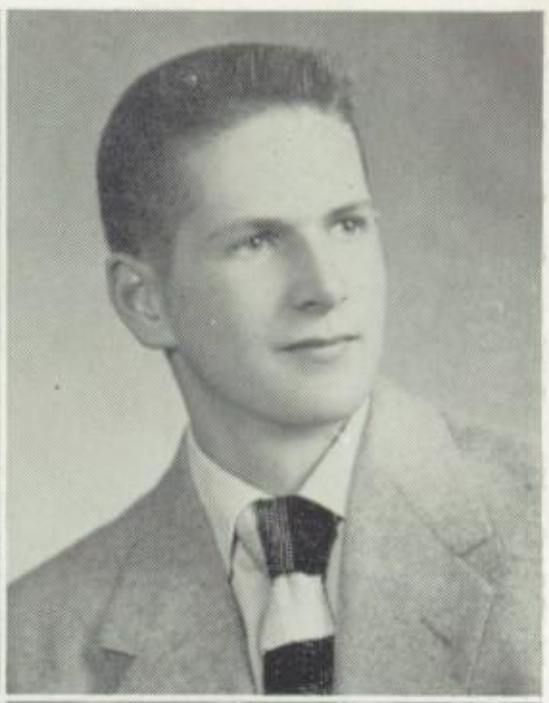
"More fun than a three ring circus."

Girls' Athletic Association 1; Usher Club 2; Future Distributors 3.

Fox, Marvin

**"Not too serious, not too gay,
A swell boy in every way."**

Future Distributors of America 3.



Gaffron, Wanda

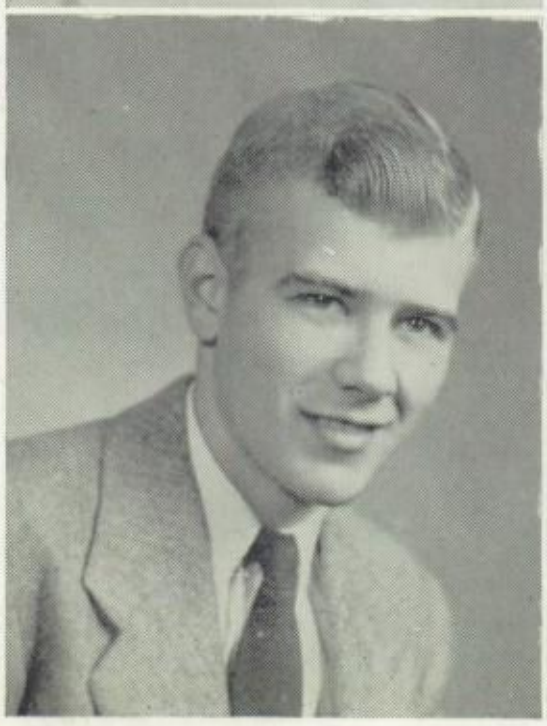
"She looks for the better things in life."

Girls' Athletic Association 1, 2, 3; Business Girls' Association 2.

Glover, Pauline

"Sometimes smiling, sometimes serious, but always friendly."

Business Girls' Association 2.



Gollan, David

"A regular fellow is he."

German Club 3; Track 1; President, Home Room 2.

Goss, Joan

"True to her work, her word, her friends."

Girls' Glee A; B Choir; Advanced Girls'; "Firefly,"; Secretary, Girls' Athletic Association; Sophomore Council; Junior Council; "Little Princess"; "Pirates of Penzance", 3; Home Room President 1, 2.

Grabb, Jacqueline

"She's as pretty as she is sweet."

Girls' Chorus 1; B Choir 2; Advanced Girls' 2, 3; Big Twelve Music Festival 2, 3; Operetta 2, 3; Thalia 2.

Green, Gloria

"An honest heart possesses a kingdom."

Latin Club; Thalia.

Green, Jane

"I hear music and Jane is there."

Spanish Club 1; Girls' Athletic Association 1; Homecoming 1, 2, 3; Usher; Sophomore Play; Harmonaires 1, 2, President 2; A Choir 2, 3, President 3; Songsters 3, Accompanist; Decanois Staff 3; Student Council Alternate 2; Librarian 1.

Greider, Mary

"Good nature is the beauty of the mind."

Red Peppers; Advanced Girls'; Student Council; Observer Representative; Big Twelve Music Festival 1, 2; "Firefly" 2; B Choir; Homecoming Auditorium 3.

Gross, Irma

"Nothing endures but personal qualities."

Grossman, Colleen

"A girl who has so many pleasing ways."

Advanced Girls' 2, 3; Mixed Chorus 2; Operetta; Big Twelve Music Festival.

Guidotti, Guido

"Welcomed by all."

Senior Class Play; Flag Ceremony; Red Rowdies; National Honor Society 3.

Hackl, Richard

"Modesty becomes a young man."

B Squad Football 1.

Hale, Jayne

"She is a quiet girl—at times."

Library Staff; "Little Princess"; Business Girls' Association; Red Peppers.

Harmon, Georgia

**"A cheerful smile, a twinkling eye,
She greets each one as she goes by."**

Tri-Y, Vice President 1; Agora, Secretary 1; Business Girls' Association, 2; Future Business Leaders of America 3; Historian; Vocational Day Hostess 1.

Harnish, Alice

**"Always there—glad to help,
Always others—seldom self."**

Library Staff; Business Girls' Association; Red Peppers.

Harris, James

"Why must I always do the right thing at the wrong time?"

Football 1, 2, 3; Baseball 2; Red Rowdies 2.

Harrison, Sam

"When there is nothing to do, let me do it."

Latin Club.

Hayes, Donna

**"Gay at heart and bright of face,
No one else can take her place."**

A Band 1, 2, 3; Observer Representative 1; Sophomore Talent Show; Business Girls' Association 2.

Hebbeln, Joanne

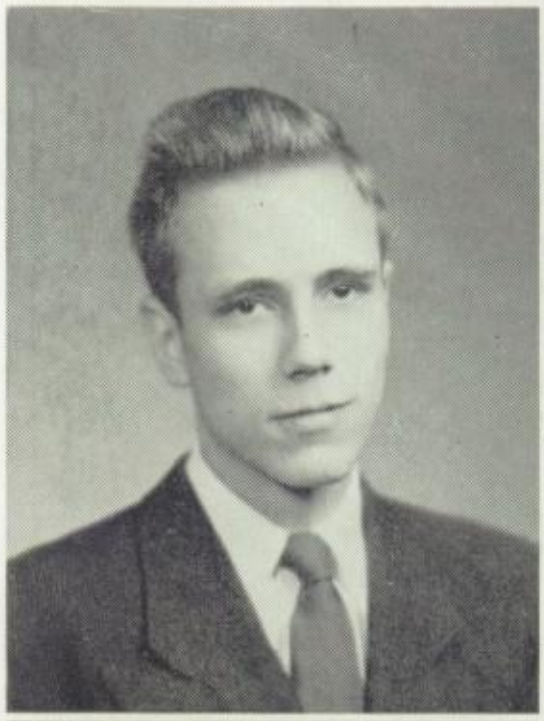
"A vision of loveliness."

Advanced Girls' 2, 3; Girls' Glee A 1; Girls' Chorus 1; Red Peppers 1, 2, 3; Songsters, 3; Creative Dance Program 2; Homecoming Queen Committee 2; Big Twelve Music Festival 2, 3; Homecoming Skit 3; Chairman, Senior Class Social Committee.

Hecht, Mayer

"Never refuses to talk—in class or out."

A Band; Golf Team.



Heckman, Beverly

"Silence is more musical than any song."

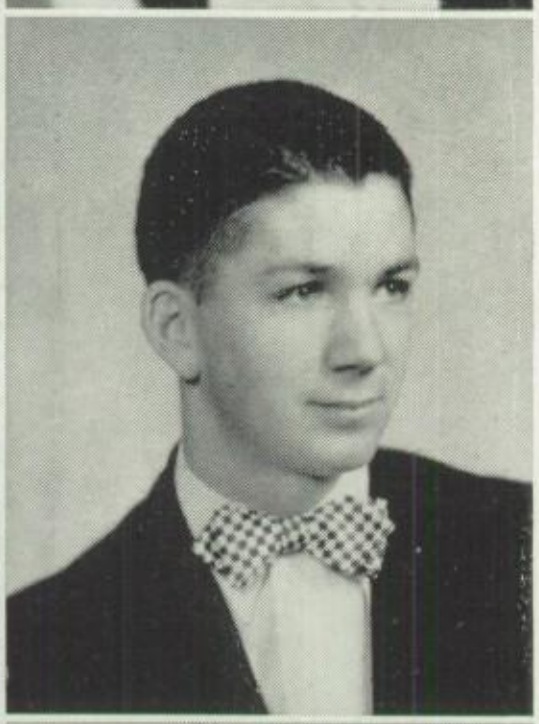
B. G. A. 2, 3.

Hedger, Joyce

"She has a winning way,
But never much to say."

Hegarty, John

"A lively fellow with jokes aplenty
An enemy of none—friend of many."



Heiland, Kerwin

"I'm content with life just as it is."

Student Council 1; B Choir 1.

Held, Phyllis

"They are only great who are truly good."

Hempstead, Hessley

"Not lazy, just doesn't feel like working."

Hennon, Marjorie

"Her smile is charming,
To the boys alarming."

Business Girls' Association 2, 3.

Henry, Sally

"Everybody's darling."

Red Peppers 2, 3; Glee Club 1; Girls' Chorus 2; Spanish Club 1; Junior Art League 2; Student Council 1, 2; "Seventeenth Summer" 2; Programs and Tickets Committee, Junior-Senior Prom 2; Auditorium Committee; Homecoming 3; Assembly Committee 1.

Heyduck, Paul

**"Make much of me, girls,
Good men are hard to find."**

Track 1, 2, 3; Student Council 2; Announcement Committee 3; Red Rowdies 2, 3; Homecoming Auditorium 2

Hickman, Clifford

"Life is what you make it."

Audio Visual Aides 2; Latin Club 2, 3; Science Laboratory Assistant 2.

Higdon, James

"Life is too short to worry."

Higgins, Carol

"She has a personality to match her stature."

A Band 1, 2, 3; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Annual Band Concert 1, 2, 3; Big Twelve Music Festival 1, 3; Operetta 1, 3; Class Play 1, 3; Home Room Officer 1, 2; Swimming Club 1, 2; Girls' Athletic Association 1, 2; Yacht Club 3.

High, Pat

"Pat will rate high on your friendship list."

A Choir 1, 2, 3; Girls' Chorus 1; Modernaires 3; "Firefly" 2; Home Room Officer 1; Big Twelve Music Festival 3.

Hill, Barbara

"She has an agreeableness that fits every occasion."

B Choir 1; Advanced Girls' 2, 3; "Firefly" 2; Songsters 3; Big Twelve Music Festival.

Himstedt, Haldon

"He guards well his thoughts."

Boys' Glee Club 2; Stage Committee 2; Stage Committee for Opera 2; Future Distributors of America 3; Christmas Vespers 2; Music Festival 1, 2; Mixed Chorus 1.

Hinton, Idell

**"She's not sharp, she's not flat,
She's a natural musician."**

Advanced Girls' 1, 2, 3; "Firefly" 2; Big Twelve Music Festival 3; Girls' Chorus 1; Colored Girls' Chorus 1; Crystal Birds 1, 2, 3; Homecoming Program 2, 3; Vespers 2, 3; Songsters 3.

Hirst, Charlotte

**"Bashful and shy;
We wonder why."**

Aristos 2; Homeroom Officer 1.

Hiser, Sharon

**"Petite, vivacious, one grand gal,
Always ready to help a pal."**

Junior Play, Prom Committee 2; Homecoming Committee 3; Junior Council; Red Peppers 2, 3; Business Girls' Association 2; Spanish Club 1; Girls' Athletic Association 1; Senior Floral Committee; Senior Class Play.

Hoffman, Loyd

"A man of few words—but they count."

Glee Club.

Holmer, Lula

**"She can pass and bounce the ball,
Likes all sports and is good at them all."**

Red Peppers 3; Girls' Athletic Association 1, 2; Future Business Leaders of America 3; Library Council 2.

Holmstrand, Carolyn

"So pretty to walk with, witty to talk with, and pleasant to think on."

Observer 1, 2, 3; Feature Editor 3; Advanced Girls' 2, 3; Mock Election 1; Town Meeting 3; "The Firefly" 2; B Choir 2; Directory 2; Swimming Club 1.

Hood, Betty

**"Eyes that sparkle with happiness,
Smile that shows her friendliness."**

Hoogestraat, Alliene

"Loveliness never dies, but passes into other loveliness."

National Honor Society 2, 3; Discol 3; Red Peppers 2, 3, President 3; Student Council 3; Advanced Girls' 2, 3, Treasurer 3; Songsters 3, President; B Choir 1, Vice President; Orchestra 1, 2; Homecoming Committee 3; Fun Club Council 1, 2, 3, Secretary 2, 3; French Club, President 2.

Hoppe, Mary Lou

"Her thoughts are directed high, seated in the heart of courtesy."

Future Distributors of America 3.

Hubbard, Eugene

**"And still they gazed, and still the wonder grew,
That one small head could carry all he knew."**

German Club 1, 2, 3; Physics Club 3; National Honor Society 3; Salutatorian.

Huckaba, Richard

"The first step to greatness is to be honest."

Chemistry Club 2; Physics Club 2.

Huffer, Joyce

"You know her by the merriment that sparkles in her eyes."

Girls' Glee A 1; Girls' Chorus 1; A Choir 2, 3; Modernaires 2, 3; Agora 1; Red Peppers 2, 3; "Firefly" 2; Prom Decoration Committee; Herald and Review Short Story Contest; Homecoming Skit 3.

Huffman, Virginia

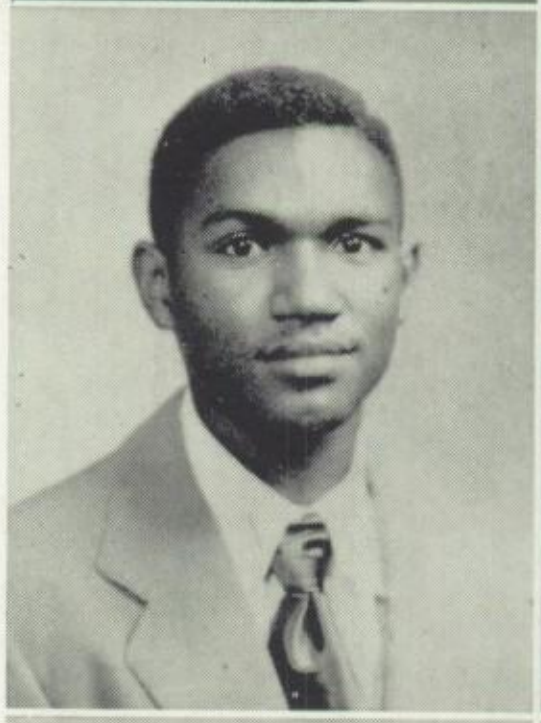
"Her thoughts and her conduct are hers alone."

Glee Club 1; Agora 1, 2; Vice President; Business Girls' Association 2; Future Business Leaders of America 3; Homeroom representative 1; Tri-Y 1.

Jackson, Laudell

**"Dickie Jackson is his name,
To our school he's brought much fame."**

Football; Track; A Band.



James, Ronald

"A man with legs a little longer than the ordinary man."

Track 1, 3; Art League 2, 3.

James, Thenopia

"Everybody's smiling, but I'm laughing out loud."

Girls' Athletic Association 1; Girls' Chorus 2; Colored Girls' Chorus 1, 2; Crystal Birds 1, 2, 3, President 3.

Jones, Beverly

"A common name, but a most uncommon girl."

Girls' Athletic Association 1; Business Girls' Association 2, 3; Glee Club B 1; Girls' Chorus 2, 3; Red Peppers 1, 2, 3; Mock Election 1.

Jones, Jerry

"If exertion means an early death, how long he will live?"

Future Distributors of America 3; A Band 2, 3.

Jones, Marilyn

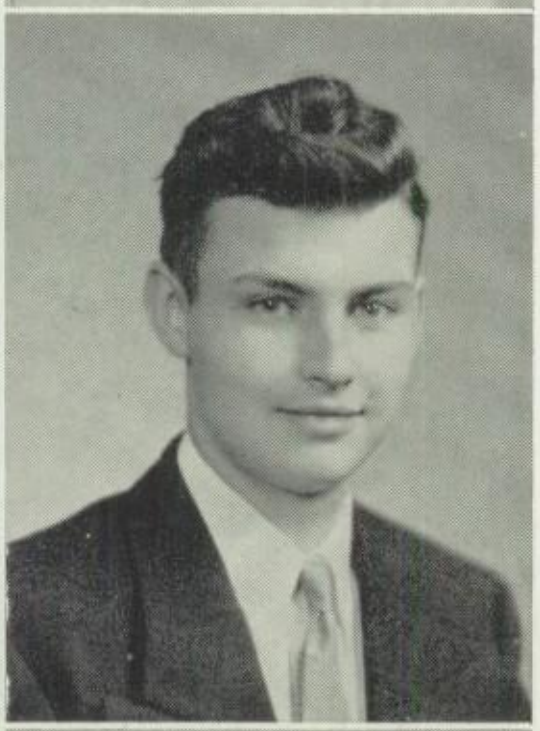
"If I am happy, and you are happy, what else matters?"

Business Girls' Association 2; Future Business Leaders of America 3.

Kapp, Lucien

"Our Student Council President we have here, Down the road of success he's sure to steer."

Student Council 2, 3, President 3; Y Fun Club Council 2, 3; Junior Kiwanian 3; Track 1, 2; Red Rowdies 3; "The Little Princess" 1; Honor Study Teacher; Sophomore Mixer Talent Show; Junior-Senior Prom Committee; Student Council Foreign Student Committee 2.



Kaskey, Gene

"He who laughs last is a fool for waiting so long."

Kaufmann, Kay

"Personality and vitality—as much fun as a circus."

Decanois 2, 3; Spanish Club 1; Red Peppers 2, 3; Art League 2; Swimming Club 1; Costume Committee for Junnor Play; Sophomore Dance.

Kellams, Mary

"With a song in her heart."

Girls' Glee A 1; Advanced Girls' 1, 2, 3; Madrigals 2; Songsters 3; Community Concert Usher 3; "Firefly" 2; Red Peppers 3; Homecoming Auditorium 3; Student Council 2; Sophomore Play; Honor Society 3; "Pirates of Penzance."

Kellogg, Norma

"She has some thoughts that are quite wise, Between a pair of dark brown eyes."

Library Staff 1, 2; Business Girls' Association 2.

Killey, Patricia

"Beauty is its own excuse for being."

Girls' Glee A 1, Secretary; Girls' Chorus 1; A Choir 2, 3; "The Little Princess" 1; Red Peppers 1, 2, Treasurer 3; Zeeteesee 1; Short Story Contest, Honorable Mention; National Honor Society 3; Modern-aires 3.

Kistler, Judy

"There is nothing so queenly as kindness."

Library Council 1, 2; Girls' Athletic Association 1, 2; Homecoming 3; Red Peppers 3; Business Girls' Association 3.

Koch, Carroll

"The terrible burden of having nothing to do."

Kratzner, Russell

"An all around good fellow—a friend sincere and true."

Kull, Connie

**"Gentlemen prefer blondes,
Here's one reason why."**

Decanois 2, 3, Co-Editor 3; National Honor Society 2, 3, Discol 3; French Club 2, 3, President 2; Sophomore Council 1; Red Peppers 1, 2, 3; Homecoming Skit.

Kuntz, Glenda

**"Pleasant and sweet,
A nicer girl you'll never meet."**

B Choir 1; Advanced Girls' 2, 3; Dolphin Club 1, 2, 3; Thalia 2; "Firefly" 2; A Band 3; Homecoming 3; "The Little Princess" 1; Community Concert Usher 2, 3.

Lacey, Rosemary

**"Curly hair and eyes of blue,
Her smile is friendly and she is, too."**

Student Council 1; Thalia 2; Red Peppers 2, 3; Homecoming Skit 3; Homecoming Queen Committee 1; Swimming Club 2; Girls' Athletic Association 1.

Lamprecht, James

**"Lots of smiles have conquered many,
This one's smile conquers any."**

Football 1, 2; Red Rowdies 3; Rifle Club 3; Observer 3; Junior Council.

Landes, Dale

**"Happy, bright, and always carefree,
He says that's the way we all should be."**

Junior Council.

Latshaw, Sally

"Good at art—and the art of making friends."

Girls' Glee B, 1; B Choir 2; Advanced Girls' 3; Operetta 3; Dolphin Club 1, 2, 3; Paint and Powder Club 2, 3; Red Peppers 2, 3; Big Twelve Music Festival 2, 3; Future Distributors of America 3.

Lawrence, Harry

**"People who make no noise are dangerous.
No need to fear me."**

Observer 1, 2, 3; Football 2; Chess Club 2; Junior Class Play; Spanish Club 1; B Choir 3; Physics Club 3; Town Meeting Discussion Club 3; Senior Play Committee.

Lischewski, Eunice

**"With ready mind and smiling face,
In the world she'll find a place."**

Lewis, Patricia Ann

"She can always be relied upon."

Honorable Mention, Short Story Contest 1; Science Club 1; Sophomore Class Play Property Committee; Girls' Chorus 2; Latin Club 2, 3; Junior Class Play Usher; B Choir 3.

Lieberman, Marvin

"Humor is great, wisdom is greater, but both—that's greatness."

Zeeteesee Club 1; Mock Election 1; Brotherhood Radio Program 2; National Honor Society 2, 3, President 3; Physics Club 3; Student Council 3; Senior Scholarship Committee; Junior Kiwanian 3.

Limes, David

"Why hurry? I get there just the same."

Student Council 1; Sophomore Treasurer.

Little, Lorraine

"Eyes bespeak a pleasant nature."

Crystal Birds 1, Secretary 2, Vice President 3; Inter Club Council Member, Vice President.

Logan, Ann

"Many things, but most of all sincere."

Girls' Glee A 1; Girls' Chorus 1; Agora 1; Thalia 2, 3; Red Peppers 2, Sergeant-at-Arms 3; Junior Class Play; Homecoming Queen Committee 3; Homecoming Skit 3; "Cyrano de Bergerac".

Lowe, June

"My care is like the shadow in the sun."

Tri-Y 1; Student Council Alternate 1; Business Girls' Association 2; Future Business Leaders of America 3; Secretary 3.

Lowe, Mary

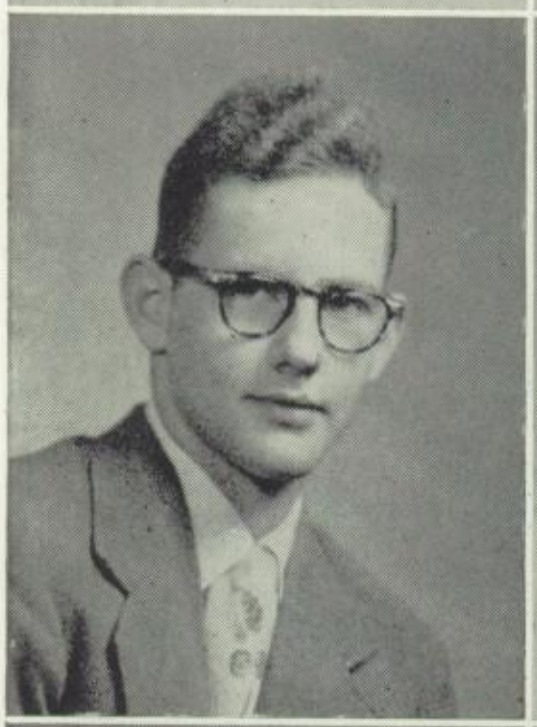
"A wise and understanding heart."

Girls' Athletic Association 1; Ushers' Club 2; Future Distributors of America 3.

Luallen, John

**"If good deeds were worth a cent,
He sure would be a wealthy gent."**

Football 1, 2; Track 1; Sophomore Council 1; Library Council 2; Student Council 3; Chairman of Queen Committee 3; Chairman of Equipment Committee 3; By-Laws Committee 3; Chairman of Record Committee 3; Red Rowdies 3.



Ludwick, Joan

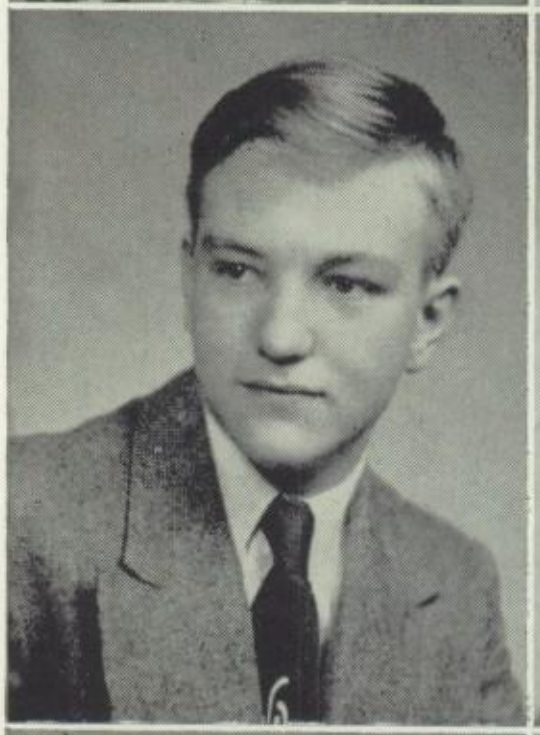
"Quiet girls usually succeed."

Girls' Athletic Association 1, 2; Girls' Glee B, 1; Girls' Glee A 2; A Choir 3; Spring Music Festival 1, 2, 3; Christmas Vespers 1, 2, 3; Big Twelve Music Festival 3.

Lugar, Cecil

"Quiet? Don't be too sure."

A Band 2, 3.



Luka, Mary

"She looks quiet, but I wouldn't be too sure."

Girls' Chorus 1; B Choir 2; Advanced Girls' 3; Big Twelve Music Festival 2, 3; Christmas Vespers 2, 3; Spring Music Festival 1, 2, 3.

Lukens, Bonnie

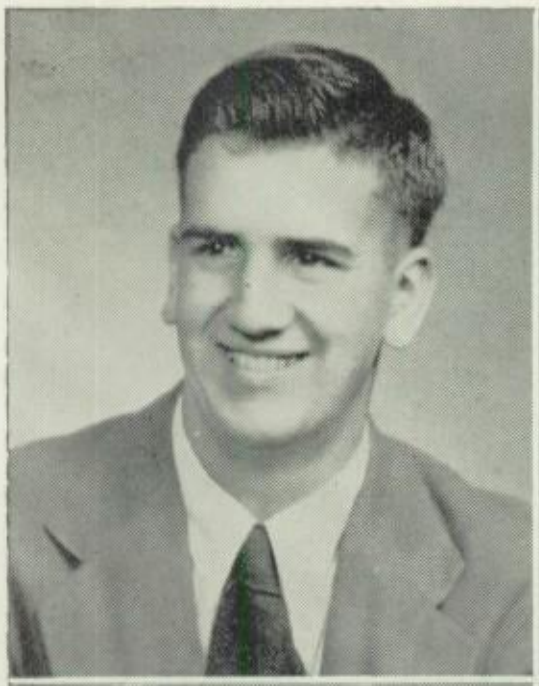
**"Modern young person who gets around.
Things happen faster when she's around."**

Girls' Chorus 1, 2; Girls' Rifle Club 2; Spring Festival 2.

McCammon, Barbara

**"A lovely girl, a friendly smile,
She made our senior class worthwhile."**

Advanced Girls' 2; Madrigals 2; Songsters 3; Mixed Chorus 1; Big 12 2; "Firefly" 2; Student Council 1; Junior Council 2; Red Peppers 2; Business Girls' Association, Secretary 2.



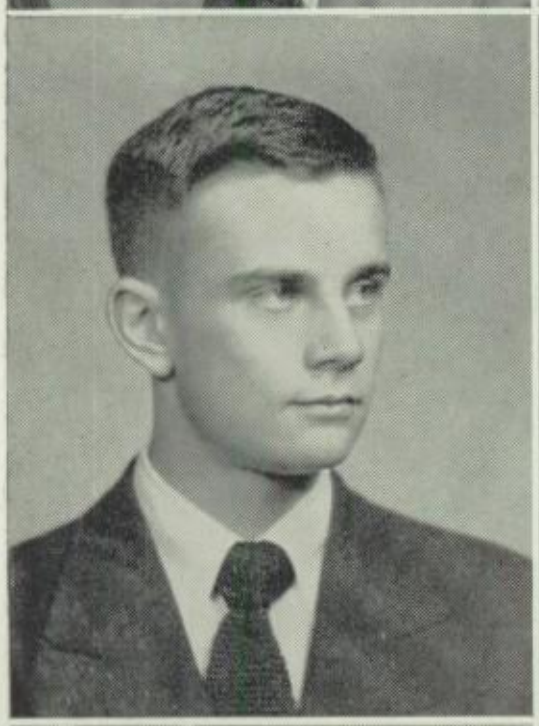
McCollom, Lawrence

"Men are only boys grown tall,
Hearts don't change much after all."

"Little Princess" 1; Junior Class Play 2.

McCormick, Jack

"Always happy and gay am I.
Worries kill men. Why die?"



McDonald, Richard

"You'd think he was an angel just judging by his face,
But we can tell you without a doubt that such is not the case."

Audio Visual Aides 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2; National Honor Society 2, 3; Yacht Club 2; Thalia 3; Homecoming Auditorium 3.

McEvoy, Patricia

"A little girl that gets around,
Another like her can't be found."

Observer Representative 3.

McKinney, Laurel

"Talks to you without formality."

McLaughlin, Anne

"Our Mickey's smile you'll always see,
A popular girl she'll always be."

National Honor Society 2, 3; Discol 3; Student Council 2, 3; Advanced Girls' 2, 3, President 3; "Firefly"; Homecoming 3; Auditorium Committee 2, 3; Red Peppers 1, 2, 3; Thalia 3, President 3; Madrigals 2; Recreation Room Committee 2, 3, Chairman 3; Songsters 3, Treasurer 3.

McLemore, Madonna

"Her smile so charming;
Her manner, merry."

Mixed Chorus 1; Advanced Girls' 2, 3; Songsters 3; Big Twelve Festival 2; "Firefly" 2; Christmas Vespers 1, 2, 3.

McMillen, Dean

"Happy-go-lucky fellow at work or at play,
A grin on his face, a will in his way."

Tennis Team; B Choir; A Choir; Rifle Club; Chairman of Flag Squad; Homecoming Committee 2; "Firefly" 2.

McQuality, Marilyn

"True to her name, she is quality."

Business Girls' Association 2, 3; "Seventeenth Summer" 2; Thalia 3; Future Teachers of America 3; Glee B 1; Glee A 1; B Choir 2, 3; Vocational Guide 2; Big Twelve 2; "Cyrano de Bergerac" 3.

Mann, David

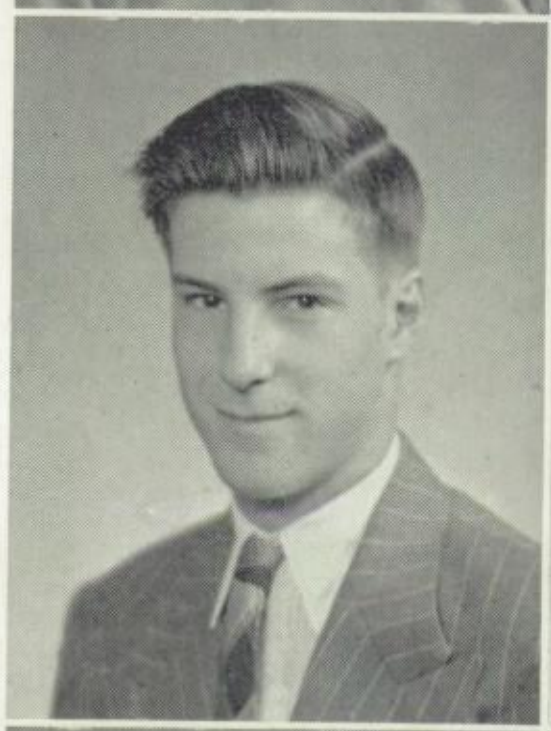
**"Is he quiet and demure?
Maybe—don't be too sure."**

Boys' Glee Club 1; Mixed Chorus 1; B Choir 1, 2; A Choir 3; Big Twelve Music Festival 1, 2, 3; Spring Music Festival 1, 2, 3; Christmas Vespers 2, 3; B Choir Program 2; "Pirates of Penzance" 3; Audio Visual Aides Club 1, 2, 3.

Marquis, Dwight

**"About the school and everywhere,
He doesn't seem to have a care."**

Latin Club; National Association for Promotion of Study of Latin; Rifle Club.



Marshall, Janet

**"You've heard the saying "cute as a button."
Here's one of those buttons."**

Colored Girls' Chorus 1, 2, 3; Advanced Girls' Choir 1, 2, 3; Girls' Athletic Association 1; "Firefly" 2; Crystal Birds 1, 2; Spring Fever (dance) Queen 2, Songsters 3.

Martin, JoAnne

**"Twinkle, twinkle, goes her eye,
Who, we wonder, is the guy!"**

Martin, Anne

**"Pretty red hair and bright green eyes.
Neat in dress and perfect size."**

Tri-Y.

Mason, Dorothy

"A friendly girl with a friendly smile."

Girls' Glee B 1; Girls' Glee A 2.

Mayweather, Eleanor

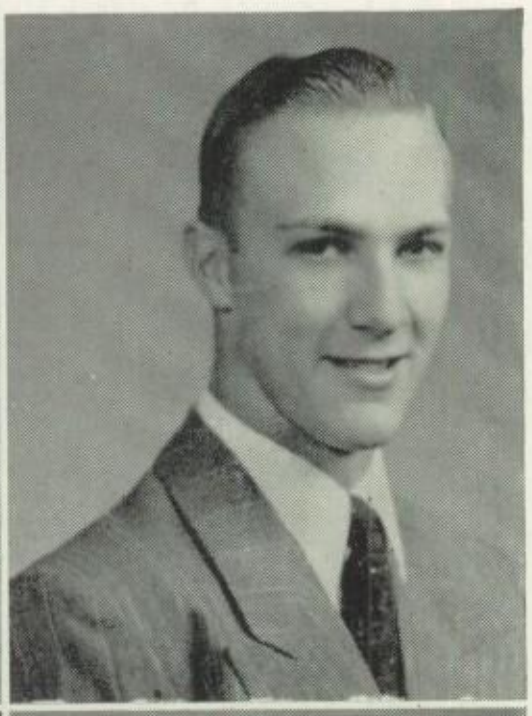
**"A girl who's smart and friendly too,
Yes, Eleanor, we do mean you!"**

Crystal Birds 1, 2, 3, President 2; Harmonaires 1, 2; Girls' Athletic Association 1, 2; Library Council 1, 2, 3; Junior Red Cross 1, 2, 3; Spring Festival 2.

Mercer, William

**"A little nonsense now and then,
Is relished by the best of men."**

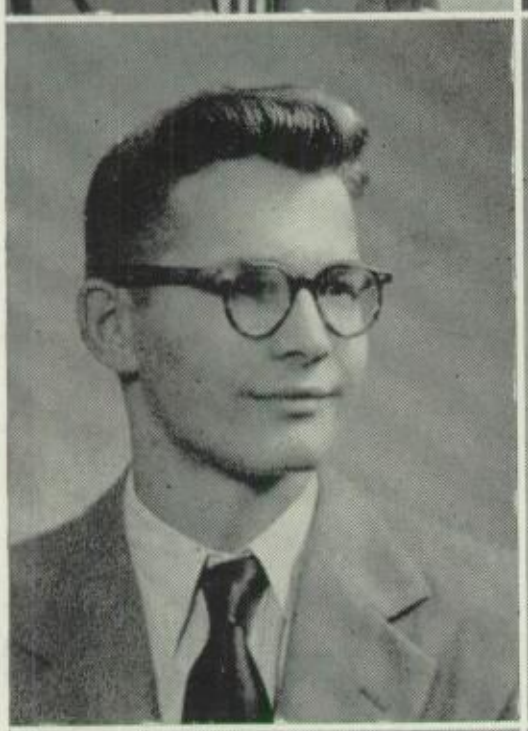
Red Rowdies; Audio Visual Aides.



Meurlot, Karl

**"A heart of gold, a manly grace,
Is seen in this good sportsman's face."**

Basketball 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Student Council 1; Homecoming Committee 1; Thalia Club 1; Audio Visual Aides Club 3; Fun Club Council; Laboratorry Assistant, Physics Department; Valedictorian; Honor Society.



Meyer, Richard

**"His brilliant future we foretell,
Because he knows his books so well."**

National Honor Society 3.

Mildred, Frances

**"Smiling faces are the style,
Frances has one all the while."**

Business Girls' Association 2; Red Peppers 2, 3; Paint and Powder Club 3; "Cyrano de Bergerac"; Properties, Typing.

Miller, Clara

"I'm going to wash that man right out of my hair."

Colored Girls' Chorus 1, 2, 3; Crystal Birds 1, 2; Girls' Athletic Association 1; Girls' Chorus 1, 2; A Choir 2, 3.

Miller, Donald

**"What's the use of worrying,
Over what I will never know."**

Future Distributors of America Club 1.

Miller, Drayton G.

**"If you've got the money, honey,
I've got the time."**

Zeeteesee Club 1; Home Room President 1; B Squad Football 1; A Squad Baseball 2, 3; Student Council.

Miller, Jacqueline

**"We've searched and searched to find a phrase;
But somehow 'friendly' is the one that stays."**

A Band 1, 2, 3; Observer 1, 2; Junior Class Play, "Seventeenth Summer"; French Club 3; National Honor Society 3; Business Girls' Association 2; Makeup Club 3; Costume Committee, Class Day 3; "Cyrano de Bergerac", properties.

Minnis, Kenneth

"He's not only a chip off the old block, but the old block itself."

Minnis, Mary Lou

"Her brown eyes sparkle—so does her personality."

Student Council 1; A Choir 1, 2, 3; Modernaires 2, 3; Homecoming Talent Show 2, 3; Red Peppers 2; Business Girls' Association 2; Big 12 Festival 1, 2, 3; "The Mikado" 1; "The Firefly" 2; Spring Music Festival 1, 2, 3.

Minnis, William

"He's loyal to all his friends and to slander he never bends."

Minott, Nora

"A good heart is better than all the heads in the world."

Mitchell, Ronald

"A loyal son of D. H. S.
To which he always gives his best."

Modernaires 2, 3; A Choir 1, 2, 3; Christmas Vespers 1, 2, 3; Big Twelve Music Festival 1, 2, 3; "Mikado" 1; "Firefly" 2; Football 2; Sophomore Council 1; Latin Club 2, 3; "Pirates of Penzance"; N.H.S.

Moessner, Jerry

"Forward, no; likable, yes,
With winning ways and real finesse."

Moore, Mary Jo

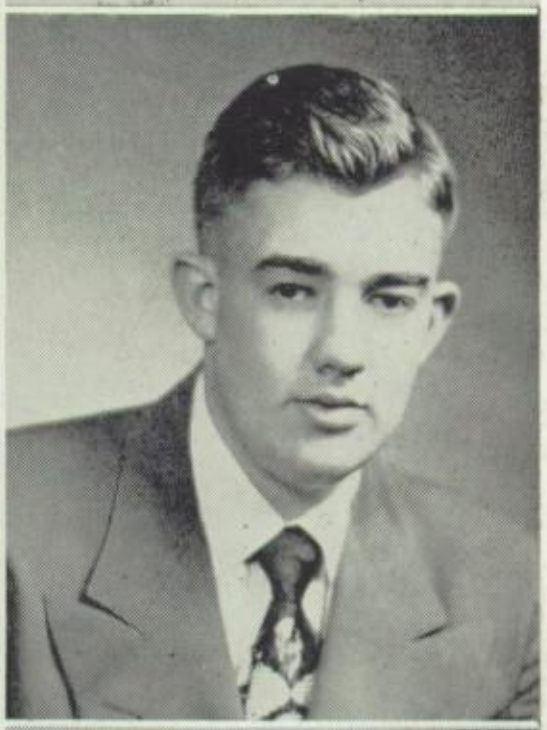
"It's quiet worker who succeeds."

Home Economics Club 1, 2, 3.

Moore, Ruth

"If smiles make the world go round, she keeps it turning."

Secretary, Agora 1; President 2; Secretary Tri-Y 1; Vice-President Tri-Y 2; Junior Class Play; President, Future Business Leaders of America 3; Homecoming Attendant 2; Business Girls' Association 2.



Morgan, Barbara

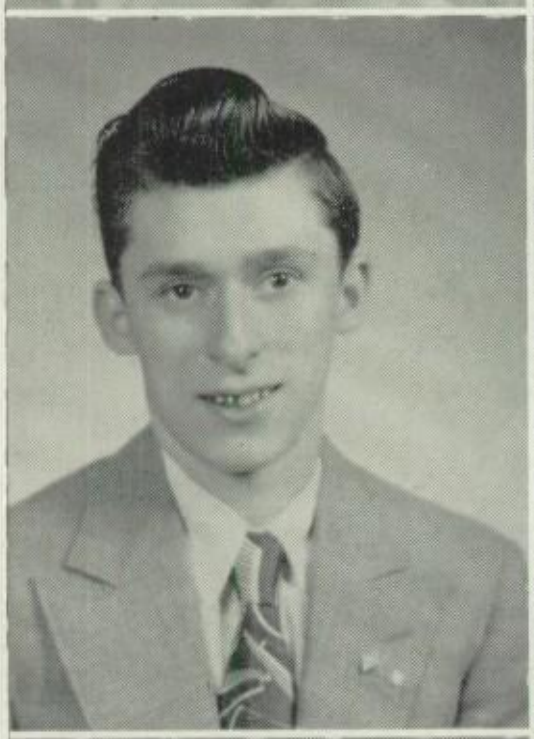
"A sweet personality peppered with good humor."

Homeroom Secretary 1; Future Distributors of America 3; Tri-Y 1.

Morris, Shirley

**"Not too short and not too tall,
Nice to know and nice to all."**

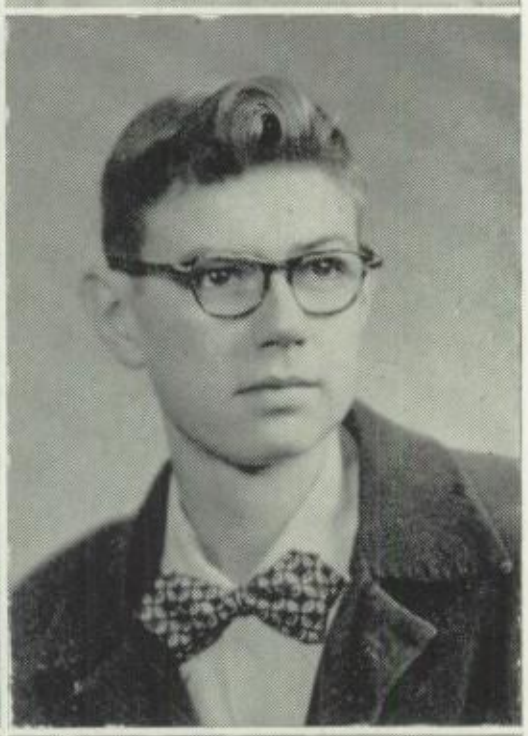
Girls' Glee A 1, 2.



Morville, Roy

"Is he quiet? Well, don't be too sure."

Future Distributors of America 3.



Moser, Fred

**"He seems to take joy
In being just an average boy."**

Red Rowdies; Future Distributors of America; B Choir; Boys' Glee Club; Yacht Club; Junior Art League; Christmas Vespers 1, 2; Big 12 Music Festival 1; Decatur High School Music Festival 1.

Mumma, Marilyn

"A bundle of common sense tied with a ribbon of personality."

National Honor Society 3; Decanois 3; Red Peppers 2, 3; Paint and Powder Club 3; Junior Play Committee 2; Homecoming Skit 3.

Murphy, Tom

**"A polite, well-mannered lad is he,
A more handsome one you never see."**

Chaminade of St. Louis 1, 2; Football 3; Baseball 3; Student Council 3; Fire Marshal, Student Council 3; Sergeant-at-Arms 3; Physics Club 3; Red Rowdies 3.

Myers, Nancy

**"An artist skilled she will surely be
In future years, just wait and see."**

Junior Council 2; Junior Class Play Committee 2; Co-Chairman Homecoming Queen Committee 2; Home Room President 1; Junior Art League 2, 3, Vice President 3; Interscholastic Art Award 1; Art Camp Representative 2; Homecoming Assembly 3; Vocational Guidance Day 2; Dolphins 1; N.H.S.

Myers, Richard

"Singing he likes, so singing he does."

B Choir 1; A Choir 2, 3; Modernaires 3; Latin Club 2, 3; Student Council 2; Christmas Vespers 1, 2, 3; "Firefly" 2; Big 12 Music Festival 2, 3; Easter Sunrise Service 2, 3; Bradley Music Festival 2.

Myrvold, William

"The census embraces millions of women—I wish I were the census.

Baseball 2; Student Council 2; Hall Committee 2; Homecoming Auditorium Committee 2; Homecoming Publicity Committee 1.

Newlin, Mary Jean

"No spring or summer, beauty hath such grace."

"The Little Princess"; "Seventeenth Summer"; "Cyrano de Bergerac"; Red Peppers, Vice President; French Club, Secretary; Paint and Powder Club, Vice President; Spanish Club, Secretary-Treasurer; National Honor Society; Homecoming Assembly and Dance Committee; Student Council.

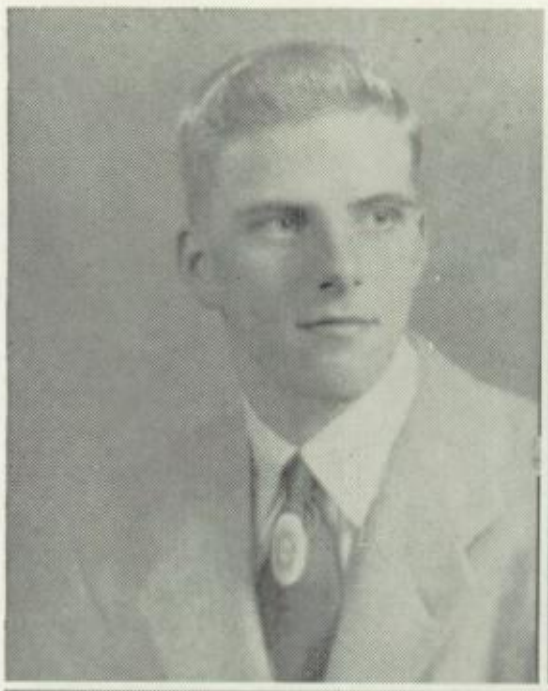
Newman, Ivan

"No hurry, no worry;
Just life as it comes."

Nicholls, Patricia

"A girl with a smile is a girl worth while."

Girls' Athletic Association; Swimming Club; Future Distributors of America.



Nihiser, Ronald

"Life is real, life is earnest."

Nixon, Gene

"I never trouble trouble, till trouble troubles me."
Football 1.

Nixon, Glenn

"Glenn's our number one rhythm man,
I'm sure you've seen him in the band."

A Band; Dance Orchestra.

O'Brien, Burnetta Darlene

"Gets fun out of living every day,
She's a swell gal in every way."

Chess Club 1; Girls' Glee B 1; "Seventeenth Summer" 2; Observer Representative 1; Observer Staff 2, 3; Future Business Leaders of America 3; National Honor Society 3.

O'Connell, Thomas

**"I'll tell you something and I believe I'm right,
Monday's too soon after Saturday night."**

Football 2; Latin Club 2.

O'Daffer, Violet

**"In every sport she will take part,
An all round girl from finish to start."**

Girls' Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, Treasurer 1, Vice President 2, President 3; Red Peppers 2, 3.

O'Dell, Myla

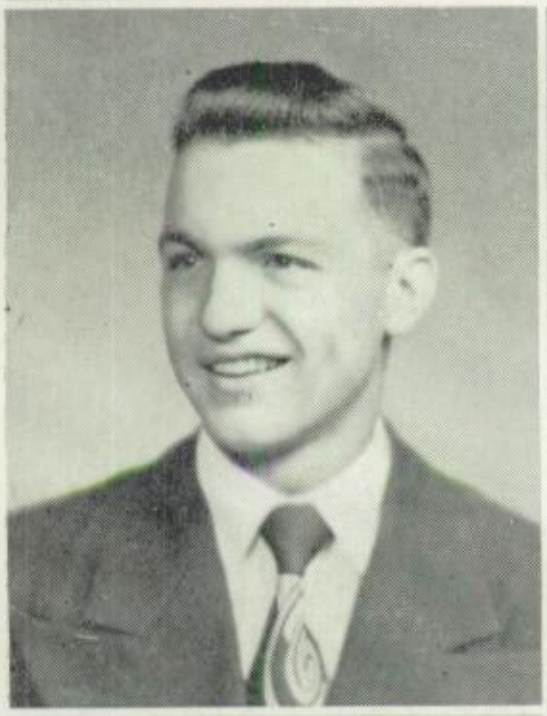
**"Quietly she goes her way,
Not too sad, not too gay."**

Business Girls' Association 2.

Olin, Doris

**"Here's a girl so very sweet,
The kind that people like to meet."**

Orchestra 1, 2, 3; "Mikado" 1; "Firefly" 2; Christmas Vespers 1, 2; Big Twelve Music Festival 1, 2; Red Peppers 2, 3; Senior Class Play; Spring Festival 1, 2; Band and Orchestra Concerts 1, 2.



Olivero, James

**"A basketball man, an athlete, yes;
Does he like women? Well, you can guess."**

Basketball 1, 2, 3; Baseball 2, 3; Vice President, Sophomore Class; Vice President, Junior Class; A Band 1, 2, 3; Ensemble 1, 2, 3; Dance Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Sergeant-at-Arms 3.

Ollesch, Patricia

"If there is anything to do—let me do it!"

Business Girls' Association 2; Future Business Leaders of America 3.

Otis, Gene

"I wish school didn't include studies."

Latin Club 2, 3; Football 2; Track 2.

Parker, Willis C.

"The less learned, the less to forget."

Paslay, Clifford

"I do my duty as I see it."

A Band 1, 2, 3.

Payton, Barbara

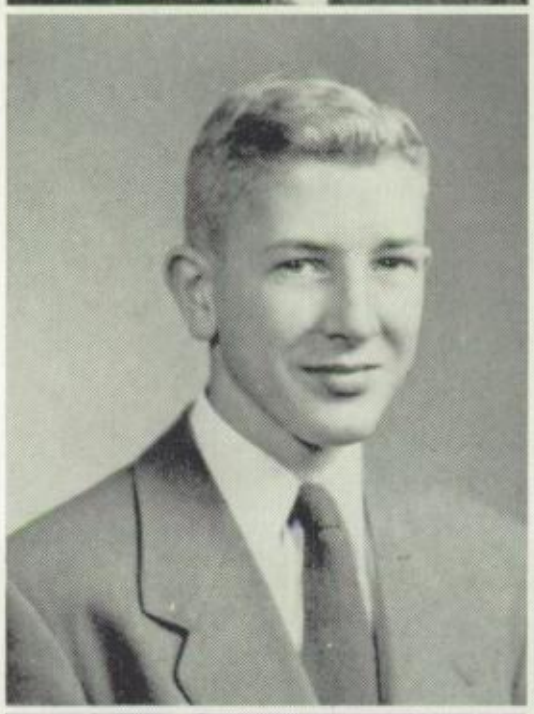
"As merry as the day is long."

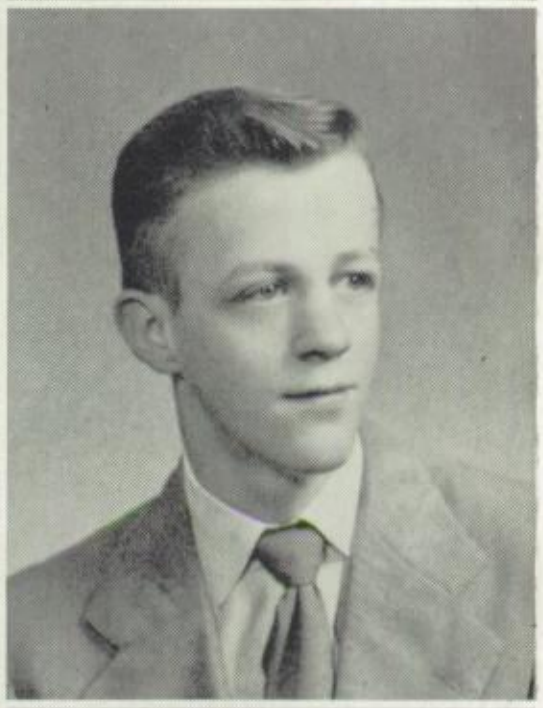
Red Peppers 2, 3; Girls' Athletic Association 2; B Choir 3; Christmas Vespers 2, 3; May Festival; Sophomore Representative.

Peabody, Ned

"A little nonsense now and then,
Is relished by the best of men."

A Choir; B Choir; Modernaires; Science Club; "Firefly"; "Mikado"; Big Twelve Music Festival 1, 2, 3; "Pirates of Penzance".





Peck, Richard

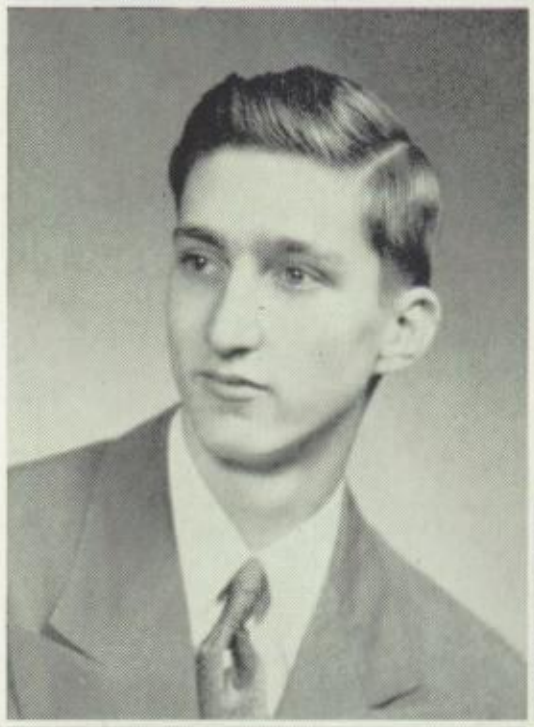
"Just one of the fellows."

Peckert, Wayne

"I am as I am, and so I will be."

Pence, Donald

"He could talk his way out of anything—even school."



Pence, Dwight

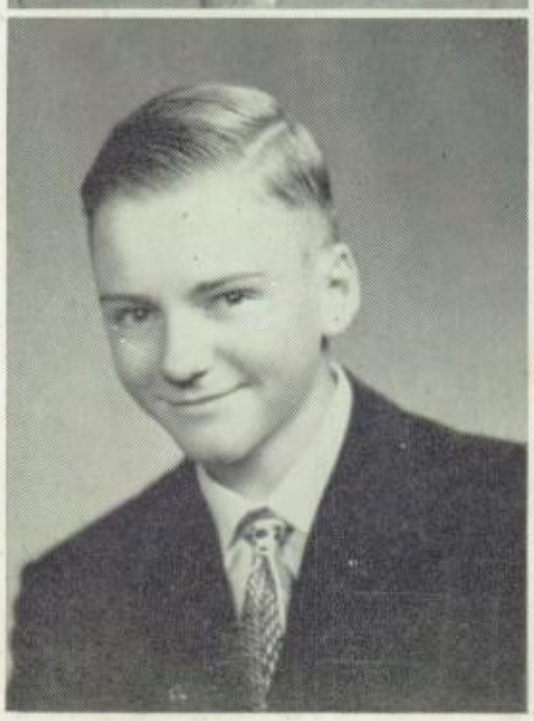
"Isn't flashy—not the sort,
Just the same, of great import."

Zeeteesee Club; National Honor Society 3.

Perry, Dorothy

"None knew thee but to love thee,
Nor named thee but to praise."

Student Council 1; Junior Council; Baton Twirler 1, 2, 3; National Honor Society 3.



Perry, Helen

"So modest she wouldn't even do improper fractions."

Petty, Marilyn

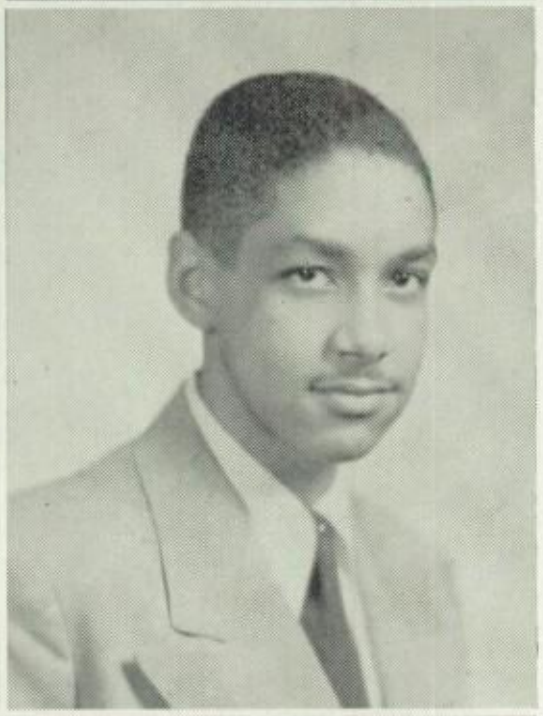
"Cheerfulness is the off-shot of goodness."

Latin Club 1, 2; Future Teachers of America, Treasurer 1, Vice President 2, President 3; Advanced Girls' 1; A Choir Accompanist 2, 3; National Honor Society 2, 3; "Mikado" 1; "Firefly" Accompanist 2; Latin Contest, Second in State 2; Usher 1, 2, 3; Christmas Vespers 1, 2, 3; Library Council 1, 2.

Pierce, Marilyn

"A giggle, a dash, a shriek, and crash!"

National Honor Society 2, 3; A Choir 2, 3; "Firefly" 2; Homecoming Committee 3; Homecoming Program 3; Red Peppers 2; Vocational Day Hostess 1; "Pirates of Penzance" 3.



Pierson, Jerry

"We often see this chap about,
Into mischief without a doubt."

Latin Club 2; Photomicrography 2; Chess Club 2; Audio Visual Aides 2, 3; Mixed Chorus 1; Boys' Glee 1, 2; Big Twelve Music Festival 2; Christmas Vespers 2, 3; B Choir 2, 3.

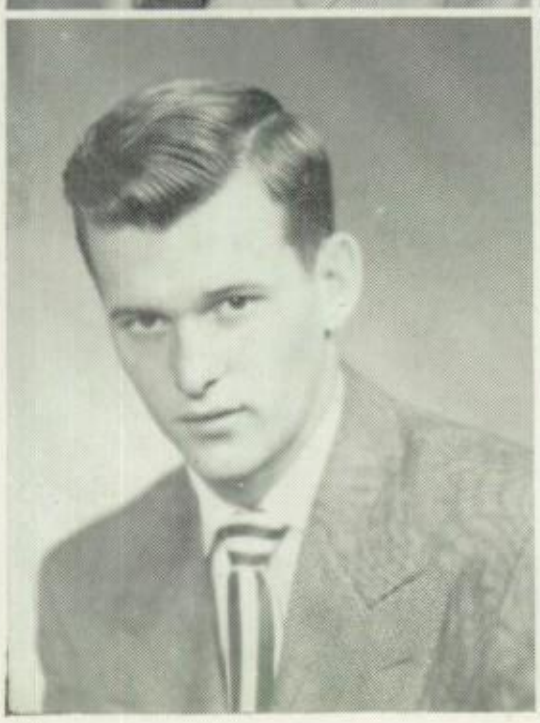
Piper, John

"Here's a man who's in his prime,
He's into mischief most of the time."

Mixed Chorus 1; B Choir 1, 2; Poster Awards 1, 2; Art League 1; Big Twelve Music Festival 1.

Poe, Rex

"Never a care had he."



Poland, Stanley

"Twinkle, twinkle, little star,
We fans adore you as you are."

Football 1; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1, 3; Student Council 1, 2; Homecoming Committee 1; Sophomore Homeroom President.

Poole, Ronnie

"I count it a sin, if not a crime;
To stay at home and study all the time."

Band 1, 2, 3; Junior Class Play; Sophomore Council; Future Distributors of America 3; Homeroom President 1.

Powers, Norma

**"Short and blonde and extra nice,
True to the rule of sugar and spice."**

Prater, Keith

**"All the world's a stage,
And all the men and women merely players."**

Decanois 1, 2, 3; High School Dance Band 1, 2, 3; A Band 1, 2, 3; "Cyrano de Bergerac"; Chairman of Senior Floral Committee; Physics Club; Camera Club; Homecoming 1, 2, 3.

Price, Marlene

"Like a day in spring, short and sweet."

Girls' Glee A 1; Girls' Chorus 2; B Choir 3; Red Peppers 2, 3; Christmas Vespers 2; Spring Festival 1, 2, 3.

Putnam, Clyde

**"If there isn't anything to do,
Let me do it."**

A Band 1, 2, 3; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Operetta 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3;; A Band Concert 1, 2, 3.

Rambo, Rita

"Personality is her hobby."

Observer "Cub" staff 1; Tennis Award 1; Student Council 2; Homecoming Queen Committee 2; Spring Fever Dance Committee 2; Student Council District Convention 2; French Club, Vice President 2, President 3; Homeroom President 3; Homecoming Auditorium 3; I Speak For Democracy Contest 3.

Rannebarger, Darlene

"She puts her troubles in a pocket with a hole in it."
Future Distributors of America 3.

Ray, Rolland

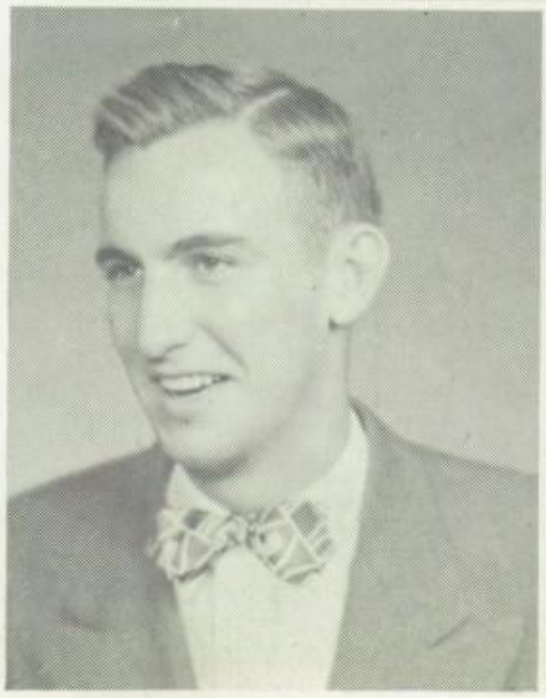
**"Worry little, study less,
My idea of happiness."**

Football 1, 2; Track 1.

Reynolds, Carl

**"He's just the quiet kind
Whose nature never varies."**

Vocational Cabinet Making 1.



Richardson, Nancy

"Beautiful hair, beautiful smile,
Best of all, beautiful personality."

Baton Twirler 1, 2, 3; Annual Band Concert 2; Homecoming 2; Tri-Y 3.

Riggs, Raymond

"Treat him right, for a good man is hard to find."

Risley, Ruth

"A happy girl is she—from care and trouble free."

Robazek, Shirley

"Good nature without disguise."

Business Girls' Association 2, 3.

Roberts, Phillip

"To know him is to like him."

National Honor Society 2, 3; Latin Club 2.

Robinett, Marcia

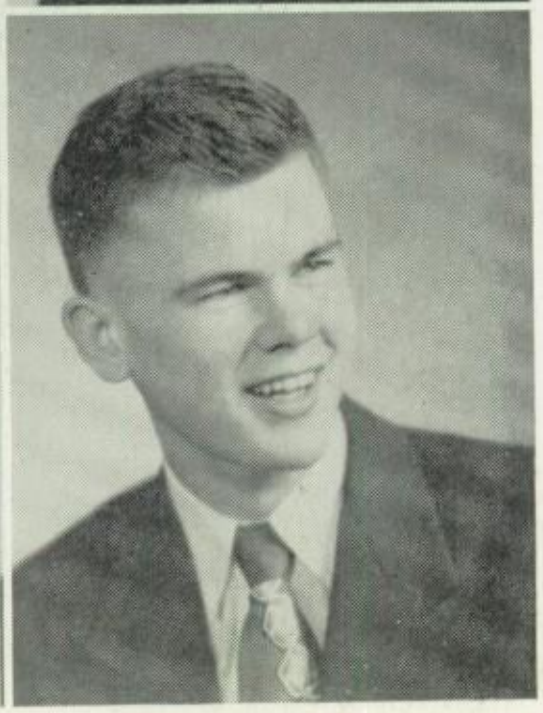
"Our vivacious brunette with a smile that's infectious."

Spanish Club 1; Thalia 2; Red Peppers 2, Sergeant-at-Arms 3; French Club 2, Treasurer 3; Advanced Girls' 2, Vice President 3; National Honor Society 2, Discol 3; Senior Class Secretary 3; Junior-Senior Prom Committee 2; Homecoming Auditorium Committee 2; Homecoming Parade Committee 3.

Robinson, Mary

"A little quiet, a little shy,
A little girl, not so high."

Girls' Athletic Association 1; Mixed Chorus 1, 2; Girls' Chorus 3; Spring Festival 1, 2, 3; Christmas Vespers 3.



Roney, Dale

"He has not thought of coming woes;
As trouble comes, so trouble goes."

Boys' Glee Club 1, 2; Vespers 2; Art Club 1; Future Distributors Club 3, Social Committee Co-chairman; Float Committee Chairman.

Rosenberg, Audrey

**"Grace and brains, personality, wit,
An ideal person and Audrey is it."**

Sophomore Council 1; Red Peppers 1, 2, 3; Decanois 2, 3, Business Manager 3; Girls' Glee A 1; Girls' Chorus 2; Junior Play, Business Manager 2; Mock Election 1; National Honor Society 2, 3; Homecoming Skit 3.

Roy, Garciel

"Be merry if you are wise."

Rubin, Beverly

"Short, sweet, and simply swell."

Business Girls' Association 2, 3; Red Peppers 3; Mixed Chorus 1; Girls' Chorus 2, 3; Sophomore Play, "Little Princess"; Christmas Vespers Pageant 2; Spring Festival 1, 2, 3.

Rule, Janet

**"It isn't work that worries her—
It's men."**

Tri-Y 1; Red Peppers 1; Library Council 2; Student Council 1; Recreation Committee 3.

Rupp, Beverly

"A heart and a willing mind."

Future Teachers Club 3; Latin Club 2, 3.

Russell, Joyce

**"She's always so gay
At work and at play."**

Colored Girls' Chorus 1, 2; Girls' Chorus 1, 2; Crystal Birds, 1, 2, 3; Spring Music Festival 2.

Ryan, Pat

"Short and dark—always happy as a lark."

Sophomore Council 1; Student Council 2; Red Rowdies 3.

Ryan, Samuel

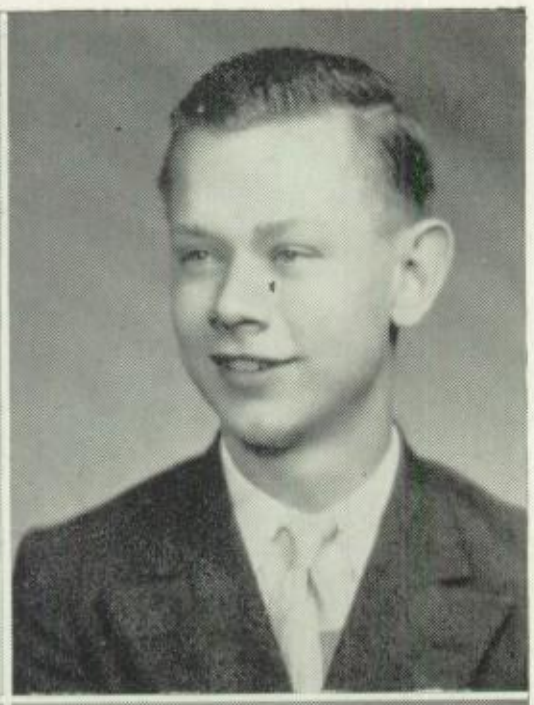
**"Let's be happy, let's be gay,
Life is just another day."**

A Choir; B Football.

Saddler, Charoline

"Short and sweet."

Art Club 1, 2, 3, President 3; German Club 2, 3; Mock Election 1; National Scholastic Art Award 3; Fire Prevention Poster, Second Prize 3; Safety Poster Contest, Third Prize 3.



Sadowski, David

"A happy nature is a gift of life."

B Band 2.

Saltsgaver, Kay

"Winning is her way
And pleasant her smile."

Business Girls' Association 2, 3; Future Business Leaders of America 3, State Convention 3; Red Peppers 3.

Sanderlin, Helen

"It's nice to be natural when you're naturally nice."

Future Business Leaders of America 3; Girls' Athletic Association 1, 2; Usher for "Little Princess" 1; Girls' Glee Club 1; Future Business Leaders of America State Convention 3.

Sangster, David

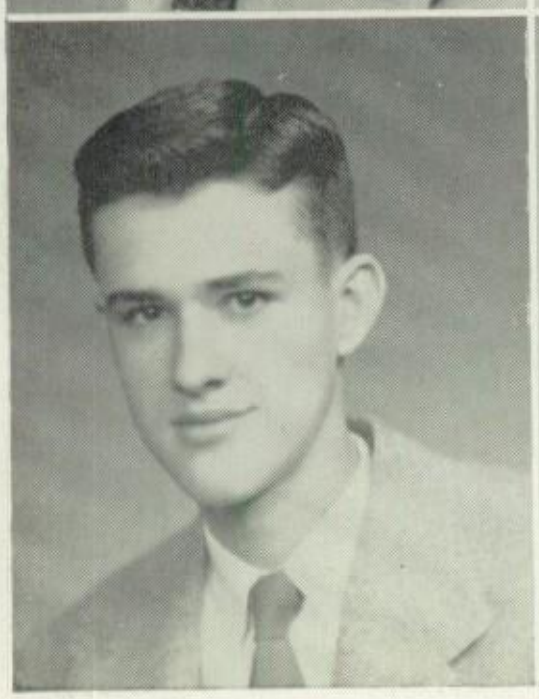
"My recipe for life is wine, women, and song."

B Choir 1, 2; Football 1, 2, 3; Sophomore Play 1; Homecoming Talent Show 1, 2, 3.

Scherer, Ellen

"Quick, which way did he go?"

St. Teresa 1; Girls' Glee Club 1; Home Room Representative 1; B Choir 2; Red Peppers 2.



Schnittker, John

"Destiny he looks at face to face
And intends to give it a noble race."

National Honor Society 2, 3, Bookkeeper 3; Latin Club 1; Boys' Glee Club 1.

Schroth, Marylou

"She's a charming bit of scenery
In the landscape of the school."

A Band 1, 2, 3; Spring Music Festival 1; Tri-Y 1; Business Girls' Association, Vice President 2, President 3; Junior Council Alternate 2.

Schultz, Charles

"I dare do all that becomes a man."

Football 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1; Track 2, 3.

Schwarz, Gladys

"She's as constant as the stars that never vary."

Junior Council Representative; June Senior Prom, Queen Committee 2.

Schwarze, R. D.

**"Flirting is a desperate thing,
But I'm a desperado."**

A Band 1, 2, 3; Sophomore Council 2; Student Council 3; Junior-Senior Prom Committee 2; President of Home Room 1; Vice President, Red Rowdies 3; Track 1, 2, 3.

Scott, Shirley

"A bubbling fountain of wit and action."

Spanish Club 1; Sophomore Class Play 1; Junior Art League 2; Junior Class Play 2; Junior-Senior Prom, Publicity Committee 2; Homecoming Skit 3.

Scott, Tom

"They who from study flee live long and merrily."

Searcy, Shirley

"One hundred per cent wonderful."

A Band 1, 2, 3; Girls' Athletic Association 1, 2; Red Cross 2; Sophomore Class Play Committee; "Seventeenth Summer" 2.

Seitz, Betty

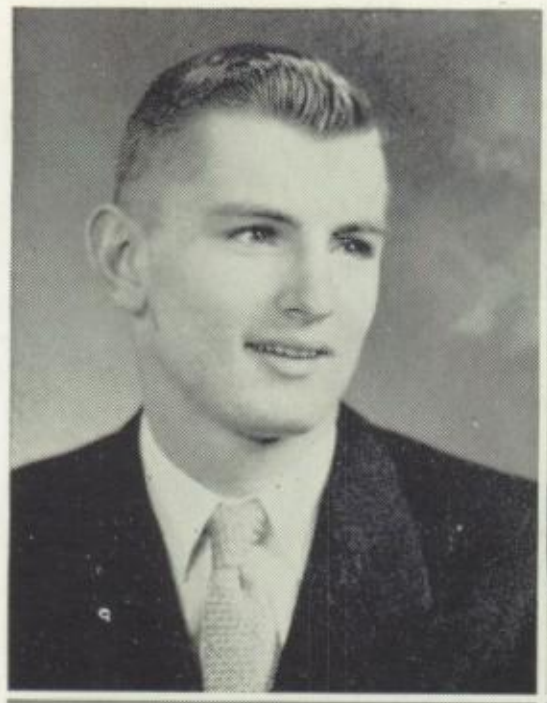
"A girl we won't forget."

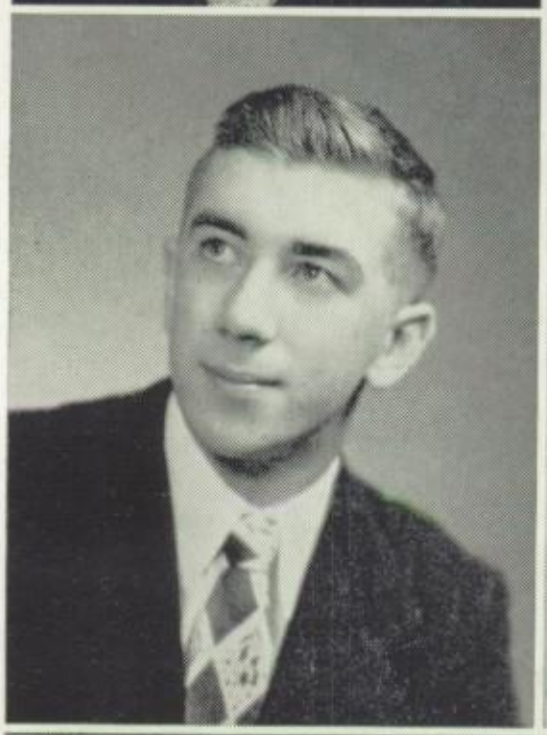
Baton Twirler 1, 2, 3; Girls' Glee B 1; Girls' Glee A 1; Girls' Chorus 2; A Choir 3; Spring Music Festival 1, 2, 3; Girls' Athletic Association 1; "Little Princess" Usher 1; "Seventeenth Summer" Usher 2; Easter Sunrise Service 3.

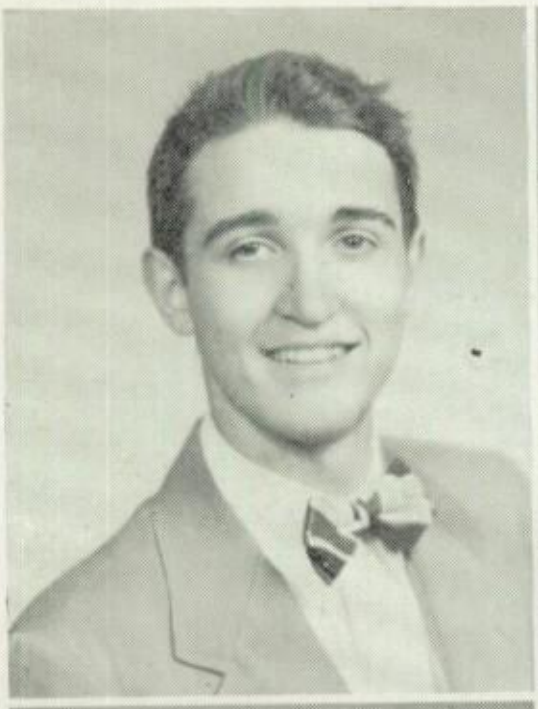
Shepherd, Juanita

**"Her good points are many,
Her bad points few."**

Girls' Glee A 1; B Choir 2; A Choir 3; Business Girls' Association 3; Big 12 Music Festival 2; Christmas Vespers 1; "Little Princess" Usher 2; Spring Music Festival 2, 3; Easter Sunrise Service 3; "Pirates of Penzance" 3.







Shull, Larry

"You can't keep a good man down."

A Band 1, 2, 3; Thalia; Freshman-Sophomore Track Team 1; Physics Club 3; National Honor Society 3.

Sloatman, Robert

"A finished gentleman from head to toe."

Smiley, Joanne

"True to her name she has a smile for everyone."

Sophomore Play Property Committee; Alternate Student Council 1; Nurse Receptionist 2; Latin Club 2, 3; Red Cross 3.

Smith, Arthur

**"A smile for every boy.
And two for every girl."**

Smith, Cloyce

"Nothing ventured, nothing gained."

Mixed Chorus 1; B Choir 1, 2; A Choir 2, 3; Christmas Vespers 2, 3; Big 12 Music Festival 1, 2, 3; Easter Sunrise Service 2, 3; Spring Music Festival 1, 2, 3; Red Rowdies 3; "Firefly" 2; B Choir Concert 2.

Smith, Evelyn

"Versatile, witty, accomplished."

Girls' Glee B 1; Girls' Glee A 2; Sophomore Class Play, Property Committee 1; Junior Council 2; Junior-Senior Prom, Queen Committee 2; Junior Red Cross 2, 3, Vice President 3; Latin Club 2, 3.

Smith, Gwendolyn

"The pink of perfection."

Red Peppers 3; Thalia 2; Girls' Glee A 1; Girls' Chorus 1; Photomicrography Club 1, 2; Christmas Vespers 2.

Smith, Larry

**"He never puts off 'til tomorrow
What should be done today."**

National Honor Society 3; Bookkeeper 3; Physics Club 3; German Club 3; Red Rowdies 3.

Smith, Laura

"A smart young miss, whom we will surely miss."

Crystal Birds 1, 2, 3, President 3; Girls' Chorus 2; Harmonaires 2; B Choir 3; Decanois Staff 3; National Honor Society 2, 3, Discol 3.

Smith, Mari Lou

"A fashion plate, right in style,
Friendly laugh, beguiling smile."

Advanced Girls' 2, 3; Mixed Chorus 1; Aristos 3; Red Peppers 3; "Firefly" 2; Christmas Vespers 2, 3; Student Council 1; "Little Princess" Usher 2.

Smith, Mary Marie

"A rare compound of originality and fun."

Agora 1; B Choir 1, 2; Advanced Girls' 3; Red Peppers 3; Spring Music Festival 1, 2; Big Twelve Festival 2; B Choir Program 2; Vespers 2, 3.

Smith, Rita

"Good natured, good looking, good student, and so
No wonder she's such fun to know."

Homecoming Queen Attendant 1, 2, 3, Crown Bearer 3; National Honor Society 2, 3; Bookkeeper 3; Student Council 2, 3, Parliamentarian 3; "Little Princess" 1; "Seventeenth Summer" 2; Halloween Queen 2; Dolphin Swimming Club 1, 2, 3; Junior Red Cross 1, 2, Vice President 2; Thalia 3, Vice President; Girls' Athletic Association 1, 2; Cheerleader 3.

Snyder, Patricia

"So sweet is this girl's disposition,
We wish her the highest position."

Mixed Chorus 1; "Little Princess" 1; "Seventeenth Summer", Property Committee, Usher 2; Aristos 2, 3, Secretary-Treasurer 3; Business Girls' Association 2, 3; Future Homemakers of America 2, 3, Project Chairman 2, President 3; Library 2; Cafeteria Helper 2, 3; Office Helper 3; Spring Music Festival 1; National Honor Society 3.

Sollenberger, Jean

"A quiet, most attractive lass,
A worthy member of our class."

Homecoming Assembly 1, 3; Mixed Chorus 1; Mock Election, Judge 1; Advanced Girls' Choir 2, 3; Madrigals 2, 3, President 3; "Firefly", Big Twelve Music Festival 2; Red Peppers 2, 3; Cafeteria Helper 2, 3; All State Chorus 3.

Speaks, William

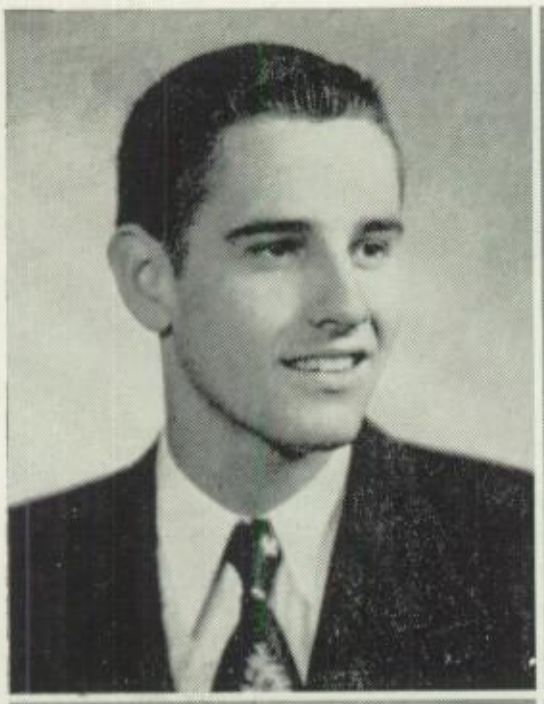
"A man of few words, but those few count."

"Daddy Long Legs" 1; Boys' Glee Club 3; A Choir 3; Sergeant-at-Arms, Thalia 2; President 3; Christmas Vespers 2; "Firefly" 2; Spring Music Festival 2; Thalia 1, 2, 3; Easter Sunrise Service 2.

Spear, Shirley Jane

"Always joking, lots of fun,
Always speaks to everyone."

A Band 1, 2, 3; French Club; Girls' Athletic Association.



Stafford, Harold

"He's a good fellow, liked by all."

Football 1; Tennis 1, 2, 3; Thalia, Sergeant-at-Arms; Homecoming Skit.

Stafford, Margaret

"It's a friendly heart that has many friends."

Business Girls' Association; Library Council; Mock Election.

Starr, Betty

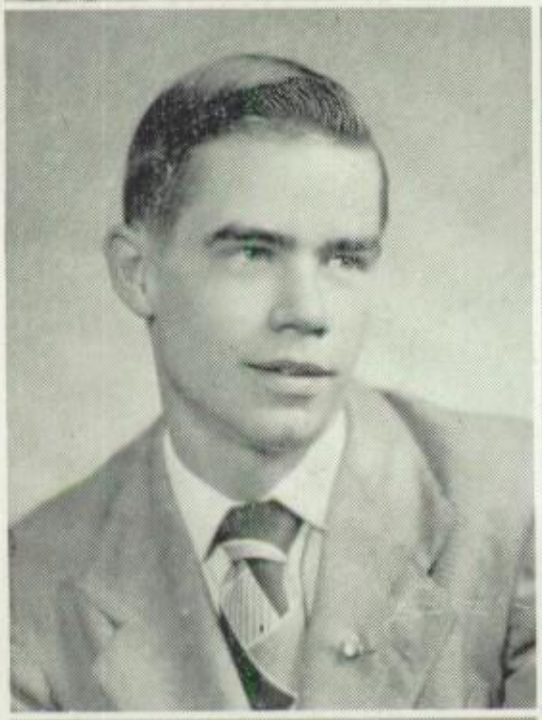
"Did you ever see a dream walking?"

Student Council 1; Junior Council 2; Sophomore Play; Red Peppers 2, 3; Thalia 3; Decanois 3; Homecoming Skit 3; Brotherhood Week Broadcast WDZ 2; National Education Week Broadcast, WSOY, 2.

Stone, Janice

"If you know her, we don't need to tell you, she's 100% wonderful."

Dolphin Swimming Club 1, 2, 3; Junior Red Cross 3; Paint and Powder Club 2, 3; Girls' Athletic Association 1, 2; Agora 1; Stage Crew 3; Red Peppers 2, 3; Sophomore and Junior Chairman, Class Play Properties; Student Council Alternate 1, 2; Sophomore and Junior Council Alternate; National Honor Society 3.



Stone, Keith

"A pleasant and likable fellow."

B Band 1, 2, 3.

Strachan, Frances

"Not bold or shy or short or tall
But a pleasant mixture of them all."

Girls' Athletic Association 1, 2; Future Business Leaders of America 3.

Stradley, Floyd

"Lights! Action! Camera!"

Camera Club 1; Decanois 2, 3; Future Distributors 3, State Convention, Vice President, Illinois Future Distributors; Junior Rotarian.

Strong, Robert Lee

"When duty whistles low,
'Thou must,' Bob replies, 'Huh?' "

Sophomore Representative.

Stuckey, Phyllis

**"The way to have a friend is to be one—
And she is one."**

Girls' Chorus 1; A Choir 2, 3; Modernaires 3; "The Firefly"; Girls' Athletic Association 1; Usher 1, 2, 3; Usher for "Seventeenth Summer" 1.

Swank, Donald

"A good companion makes good company."

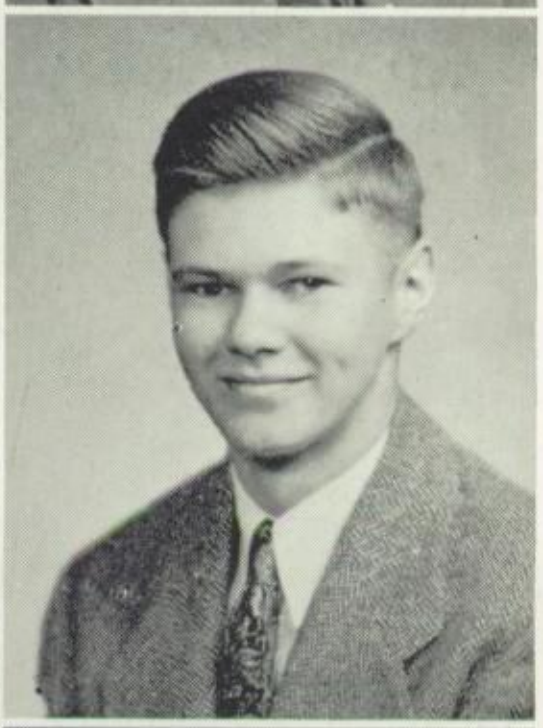
Syfert, Harold

"Blushes are not always the sign of bashfulness."

Sophomore Council, Student Council; Red Rowdies.

Tanzyus, Richard

"Enemies—he has none."



Tapscott, Beverly

**"We often see this girl about;
Into mischief—without a doubt."**

Glee B 1; Glee A 1; Girls' Chorus 2; B Choir 3.
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Tapscott, Mary

**"This friendly, dark-haired lass,
Was quite an addition to the class."**

Mixed Chorus 1; Student Council 1; Red Peppers 2; Homecoming Committee 1; Business Girls' Association 2.

Taylor, Nina Mae

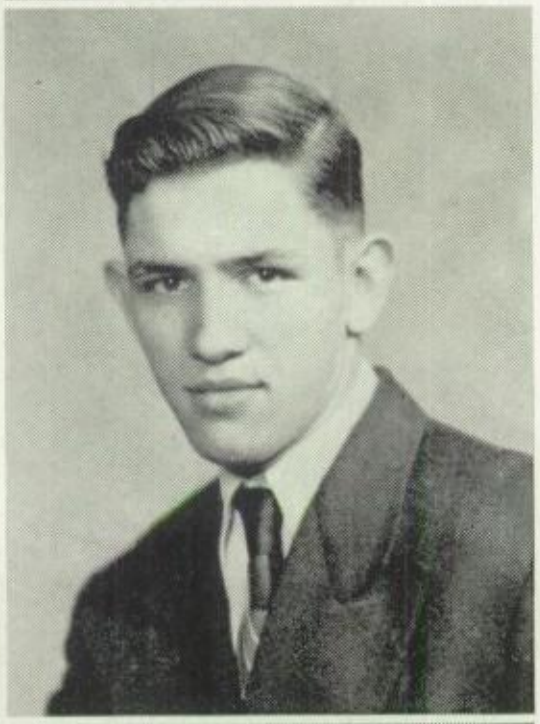
"Always happy and always gay."

Business Girls' Association 2; Future Business Leaders of America 3.

Temple, Nina

**"Nina gives the world the best she has,
So the best should come back to her."**

Sophomore Class Secretary; Junior Class Secretary; Sophomore Class Play; Junior Class Play; Student Council 2, 3, Secretary 3; National Honor Society 2, 3, Discol 3; French Club 2, 3; Red Peppers 2, 3; Homecoming 3, Chairman of Dance Committee; Junior-Senior Prom 2, Chairman of Queen Committee.



Tenny, Harold

"I make a better impression with my books stuffed that way."

Student Council 3; Decanois 3; National Honor Society 3.

Terneus, Charlene

"A puff of the hair, a pat on the nose, a look in the mirror, she's ready to go."

Tri-Y 1, 2, 3.

Tertocha, Raymond

"And what would life be if we took it seriously?"

Thompson, Arlene

"She's the likable sort, a very good sport."

Home Room Observer Representative 1, 2; Business Girls' Association 2, 3.

Thompson, Cornelia

"She's staunch, loyal, and true."

Crystal Birds.

Thompson, Glen

"The man who tries will achieve success."

Thornton, Robert

"Speech is great, but silence is greater."

Red Rowdies.

Ticknor, Robert

"Begone, dull care. You and I will never agree."

Tipsword, Sophronia

"When high school days are gone from sight, You'll remember Toni as just all right."

Girls' Glee B; Girls Glee A; Girls' Chorus.

Tolly, Carol

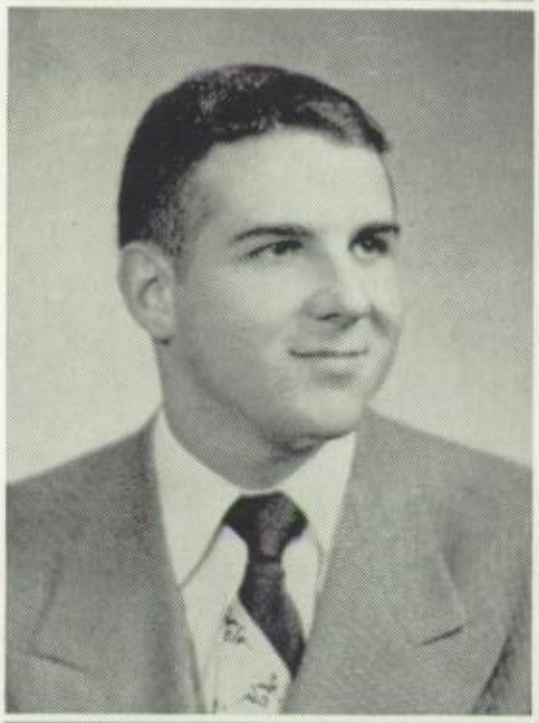
"She'd stop St. Peter's roll call to ask a question."

Junior Art League 1; Band 1; Spring Music Festival 1; Student Council 1; Homecoming 1, 3; Red Peppers 2; Business Girls' Association 2, 3; Junior Red Cross 1; Homecoming Game Committee, Co-Chairman 2.

Tosh, Jack

"All great men are dead—and I don't feel too well myself."

Senior Vice President; Junior Treasurer; Football 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Student Council 2; Thalia; Propman, "Daddy Long Legs."



Trainer, Marilyn

"A maiden with a thousand charming ways— Fun and golf fill her days."

Red Peppers 2; Mixed Chorus 1; B Choir 2; Advanced Girls' 2, 3; Homecoming 3; "Firefly" 2; "Pirates of Penzance" 3.

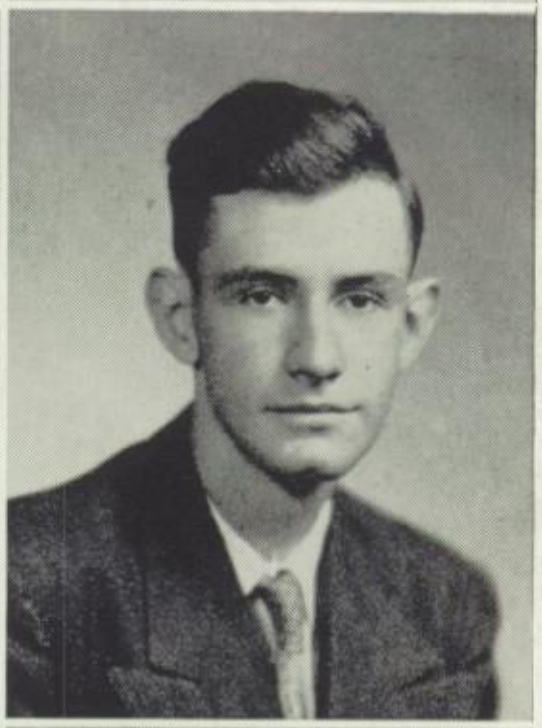
Trimble, Rosemary

"A nice person to know."

Glee B; Glee A; Advanced Girls'.

Tryon, Paul

"Self-confidence is the first secret of success."



Tucker, Ruby

"She puts her troubles in a pocket with a hole in it."

Girls' Athletic Association 3.

Turner, Alice

"The manifest sign of wisdom is a continued cheerfulness."

A Band 1, 2, 3.

Turner, Lawrence

"Reserve is often misinterpreted."

Future Teachers of America 2, 3, Vice President 3; German Club 2, 3; Receptionist, Vocational Guidance Day 2, 3; Receptionist, College Day 2; National Honor Society 3.

Turner, Martha Ann

"A gal with brains and a good personality."

Advanced Girls' 1, 2, 3; Paint and Powder Club 3; Thalia 1, 2, 3; Student Council 1, 2; National Honor Society 3; "Firefly" 2; Songsters 3; Big Twelve Music Festival 2; Christmas Vespers 2, 3; Girls' Glee A, President 1.

Turner, Paul L.

"Character makes his own destiny."

Van Natta, Richard

"Here's a boy who'll raise the curtain."

"Little Princess" 1; Science Club 1, 2; "Seventeenth Summer" 2; Red Rowdies 2; Student Council 1, 2.

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Vaught, Jerrold

"A lively fellow with jokes aplenty,
An enemy of none, but a friend of many."

Latin Club Officer 1; Track 1, 2.

Voss, Jack

"By the work, one knows the workman."

Wade, Eldon

"He has a smile that constantly endangers his eyes."

Football, B Squad; Track 1; Sophomore Council; Future Distributors of America, Treasurer 3; Mock Convention 1.

Wagoner, Marilyn

"When she is gone, I know more delight in all that pleased before."

Advanced Girls' 2, 3; Ring Committee 2; "Firefly" 2; Spanish Club 1, 2; Prom Decoration Committee 2; Big Twelve Music Festival 2; Art League 1, 2; Red Peppers 1, 2, 3; Junior Council 2; Mixed Chorus, Vice President 1.

Wahl, Marguerite

"She isn't big that's true,
But size doesn't count, it's what she can do."

Girls' Glee B 1; Girls' Glee A 2; B Choir 3; Property Committee, Sophomore Play; Property Committee, Junior Play; Junior Red Cross 2; Future Teachers of America 3; Thalia 3.

Walker, Lois

"She has a quiet look in her eyes."

A Choir; Songsters; Girls' Athletic Association 1, 2; Big Twelve Music Festival; "Firefly" 2; Girls' Chorus 1, 2; "Pirates of Penzance 3.

Warnick, Richard

"There is a driving force in his personality."

B Squad Football 1; National Honor Society 3.

Weddle, Rosemary

"A girl with a heart-warming smile."

Latin Club 3; Art League 3.

Weisenbacher, Robert

"He likes to take part in things."

A Choir 2, 3; "I Speak for Democracy" Contest 2, 3; Junior Council; "Firefly" 2; Music Festival; Big Twelve; Recreation Room Committee; Bradley Festival; Vespers; National Honor Society 3.

Whitehurst, Larry

"Say thy say, I will do my deed."

Science Club 1; Football 2.

Whitten, Davis

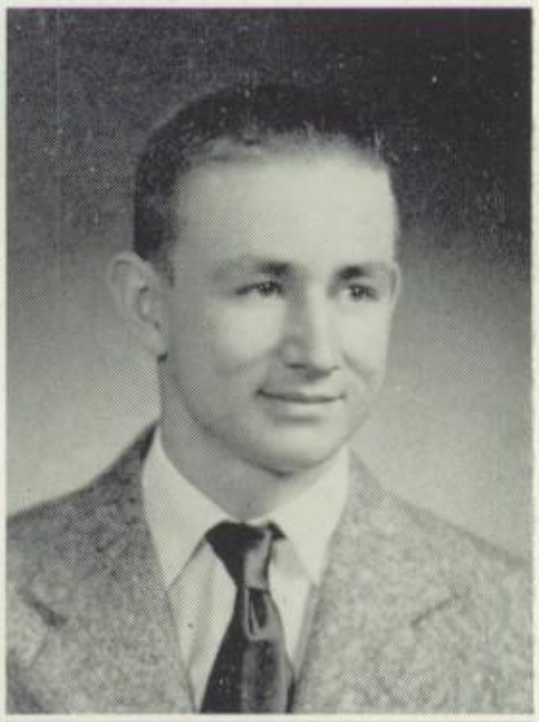
"I have that Rip Van Winkle feeling."

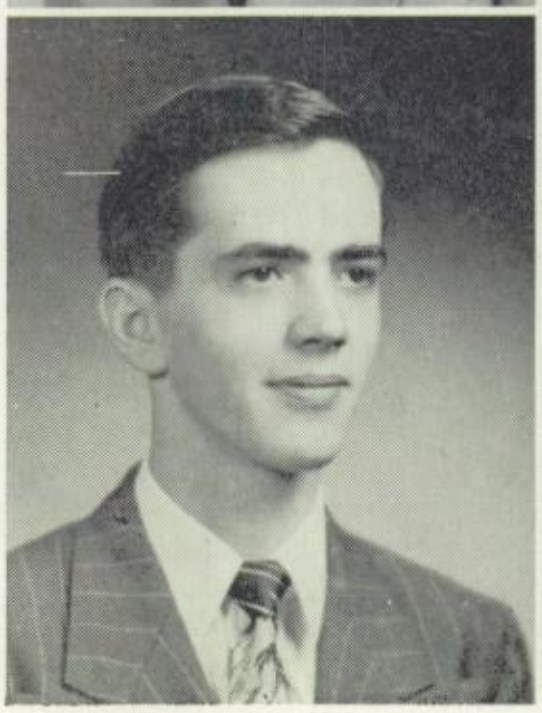
B Choir 1; Tennis 1, 2; A Choir 2, 3; "Firefly" 2.

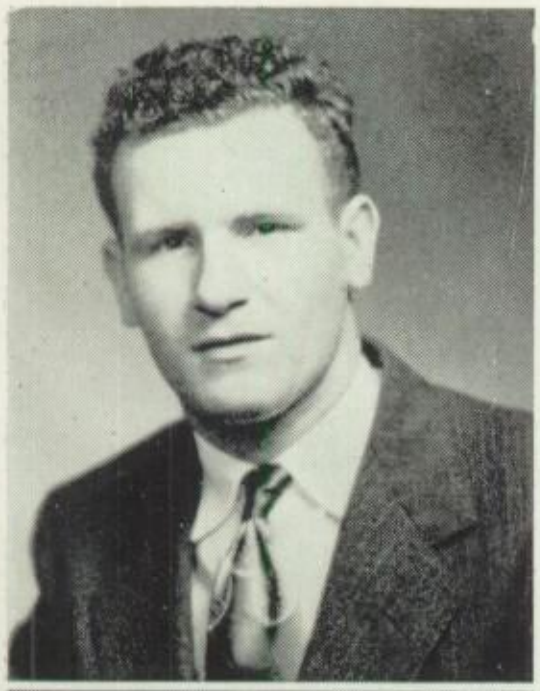
Wiesner, Elsie

"A polite, well-mannered girl is she,
A nicer one you'll never see."

Business Girls' Association 2; Future Business Leaders of America 3; National Honor Society 3; Class Ring Committee.



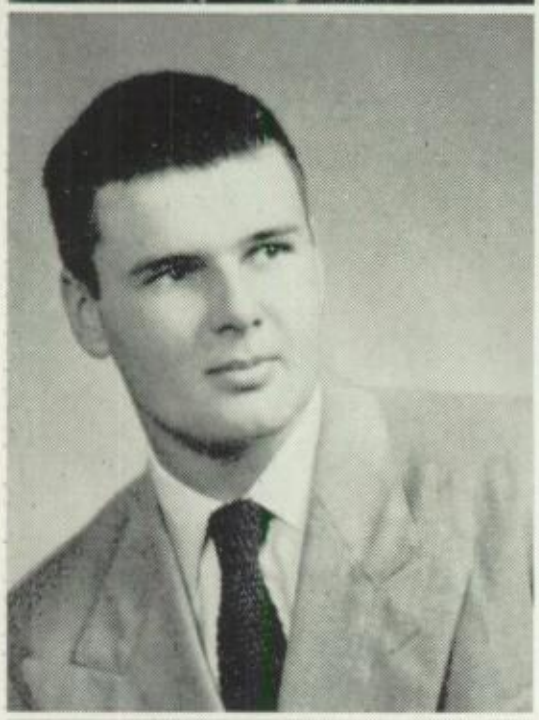




Wilber, Jack

"No, I'm not talking again. I'm talking yet."

Student Council 1, 2, 3, Chairman, Constitution, Recreation Room, and Activity Ticket Committees; Town Meeting Discussion Club 1, 2, 3; Vice President and President 3; Library Council 1, 3, Parliamentarian 1, Vice President and President 2; Zeeteesee 1, 2, 3, President 2; Football 1, 2; Latin Club 1, 2; Mock Election 1; Voice of Democracy Contest 2, 3; American Legion Oratorical Contest 3; Delegate, Champaign District Student Council Convention 1, 2, 3.



Wilke, Joanlee

"Sweet as honey—busy as a bee
Cutest little gal you ever did see."

Baton Majorette 2; Drum Major 3; Spring Talent Show 2; Homecoming Show 3; Science Convention 2; Photography Club 1; Red Peppers 2; Thalia 3; Photomicrography Club 2; Mixed Chorus 1.

Wilkinson, Scott

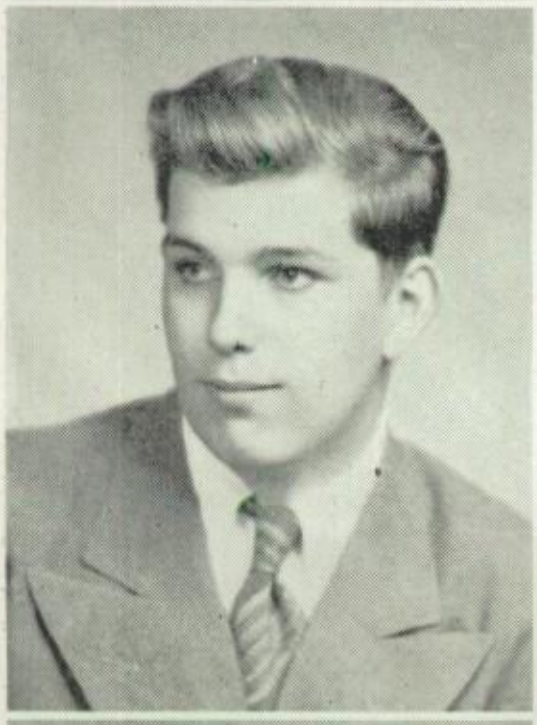
"I'd rather hold hands with a football."

Football 1, 2, 3; Track 1; German Club; Physics Club.

Williamson, Mary

"Where there's a will—iamson, there's a way."

Future Business Leaders of America 2.



Witts, David

"The man with the horn."

Witzeman, James

"I live my life with no regrets."

A Band 1, 2, 3; Hi-Y 1; National Honor Society 2, 3, Discol 3.

Wright, Allen

"Always on the go."

Young, Carole

"The cheerful live longest in years,
And afterwards in our regards."

Homecoming 3; Business Girls' Association 2.

Ziemer, Nancy

"Quiet, but sincere and true,
A girl who's always a help to you."

Latin Club 1, 2, 3; Agora 2; Chess Club 1; Orchestra 3; Homecoming Float 1.

NO PICTURES

Harrington, Richard

Randall, Harold

Stanley, Eugene
Thalia; German Club.

Viccone, Anthony

IN MEMORIAM

Donald Atkins

John Earl Hamilton

Orville Williams

MID-YEAR SENIOR POPULARITY CONTEST

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED

Marylou Evans

Larry Duda

BEST ALL AROUND

Carolyn Nance

Bob Oldweiler

BEST DRESSED

Sally Bringer

Dave White

BEST ATHLETE

Wilma Richards

Marvin Hall

MID-YEAR SENIOR POPULARITY CONTEST

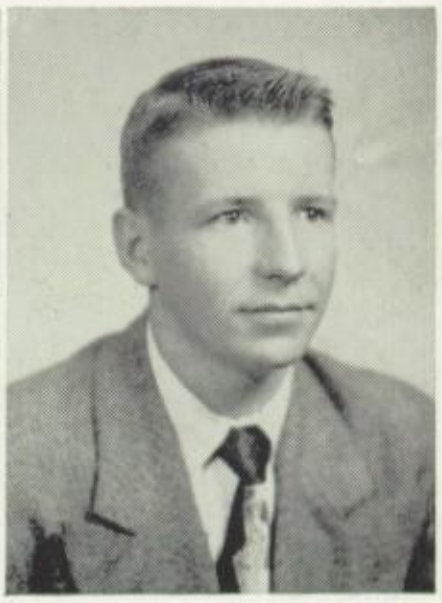
MOST POPULAR

Jean Richhart

Kayle Johnson

FRIENDLIEST

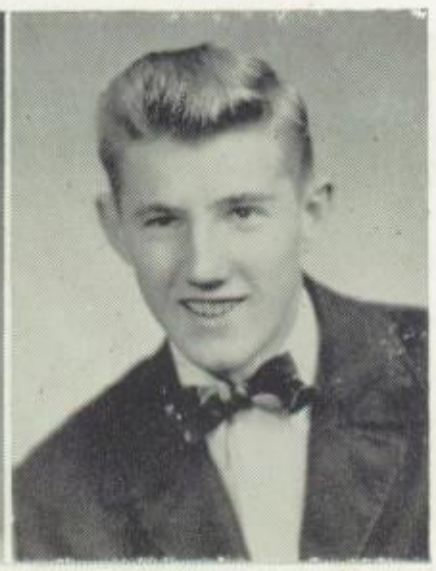
Lorraine Grace



Calvin Cope

WITTIEST

Gwen Oglesby



Don Laughery

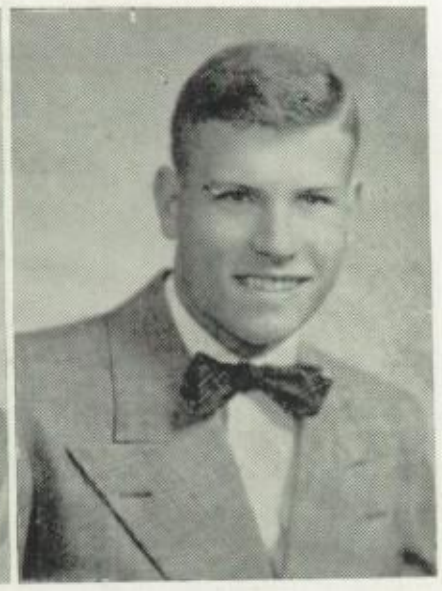
BEST LOOKING

Jeanne Warren

Gene Carr

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED

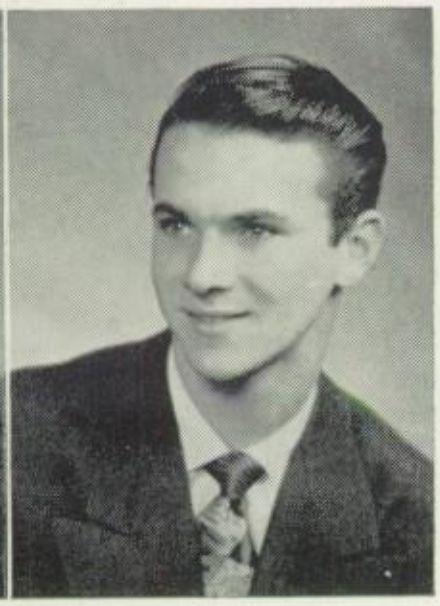
Barbara Davis



Gerry Berry

BEST DRESSED

Marcia Robinett

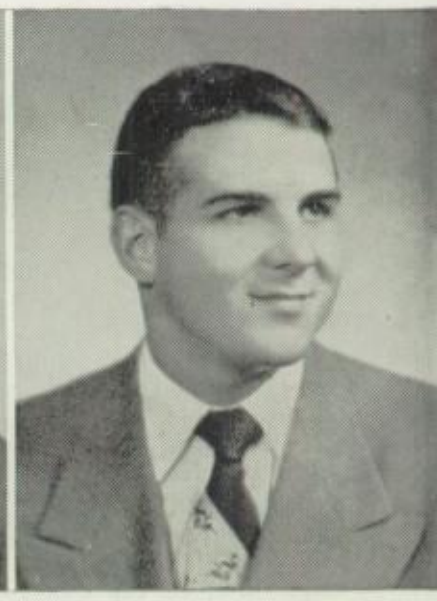


Mickey O'Connell

JUNE SENIOR POPULARITY CONTEST

BEST ALL AROUND

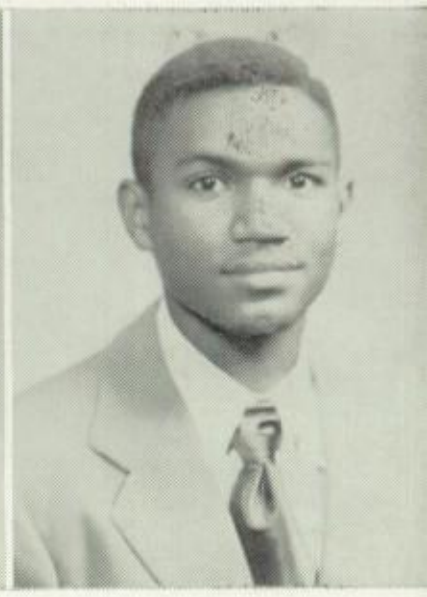
Rita Smith



Jack Tosh

BEST ATHLETE

Marilyn Trainer



Laudell Jackson

JUNE SENIOR POPULARITY CONTEST

MOST POPULAR

Anne McLaughlin

Jim Olivero

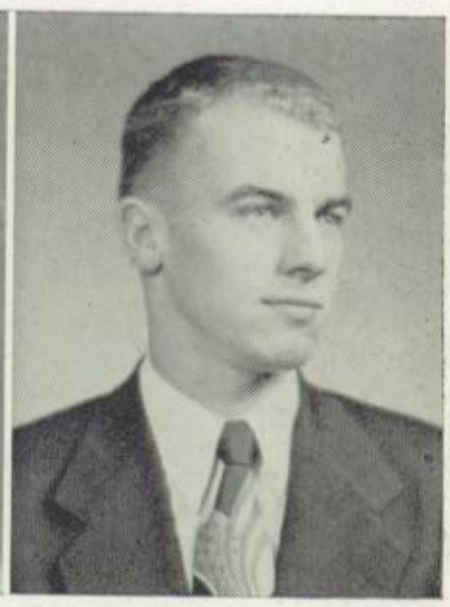
FRIENDLIEST

Ann Logan

Guido Guidotti

BEST LOOKING

Barbara McCammon



Raymond Ferre

WITTIEST

Carol Felts

R. D. Schwarze

MARY JEAN NEWLIN

JACK WILBER

IDA K. MARTIN AWARDS

All seniors except the Lincoln essay winners are eligible for the Martin awards. Mrs. Ida K. Martin, in February, 1920, when she was national president of the Women's Relief Corps, gave $1,000 to the Decatur Board of Education. The interest from this money supplies two prizes, one for a boy and one for a girl. Those entering are graded upon the content and style of their essays, delivery, and citizenship. The essays may not exceed one thousand words and may be on any phase of patriotism.

MARY W. FRENCH AWARDS

This year Nina Temple, first place, and Virginia Campbell, second place, were honored with the Mary W. French awards. The French honors are chosen by the Faculty Cabinet. Miss French, for forty years a member of the Decatur High School faculty, presented $1,000 to the school to make possible these awards. She stipulated that those honored must have achieved more than high scholastic standing. They must have served the school in some outstanding manner, have been good and loyal citizens of the school, and have been active in school organizations.

Nina Temple

Virginia Campbell

RITA SMITH

D. A. R. AWARD

Each year an outstanding senior girl is honored by receiving the award presented by the National Society of Daughters of the American Revolution. She is then eligible, along with representatives of other Illinois high schools, for the drawing in which a state representative is selected to take a trip with all expenses paid to a convention in Washington, D. C.

LINCOLN ESSAY AWARD

Mrs. Inez J. Bender, formerly a member of the Decatur School Board and one of the foremost civic leaders in Decatur's history, gave a sum of money to the school board before her death to establish a Lincoln Essay Contest in memory of her father, who was a great admirer of Lincoln. This money is divided equally between the boy and the girl from each year's June Senior Class who write winning essays on Lincoln. These awards are presented to them at the June Commencement exercises.

The contestants are judged fifty per cent on the essay itself, twenty-five per cent on their ability to read it before the judges, and twenty-five per cent on their school citizenship.

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JOHN FISH

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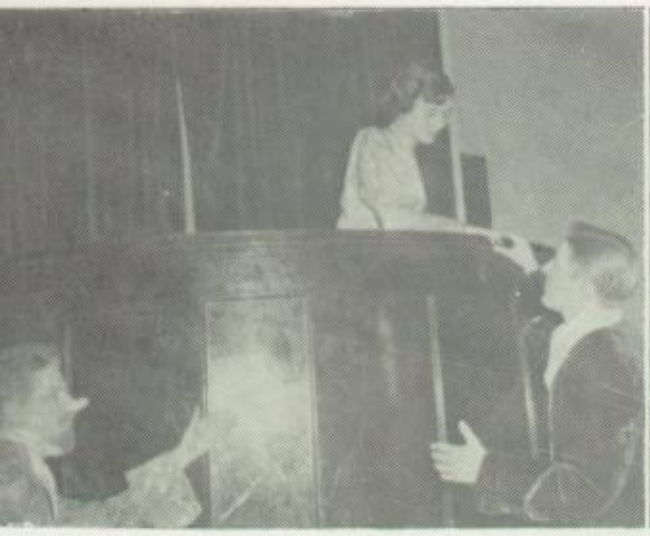
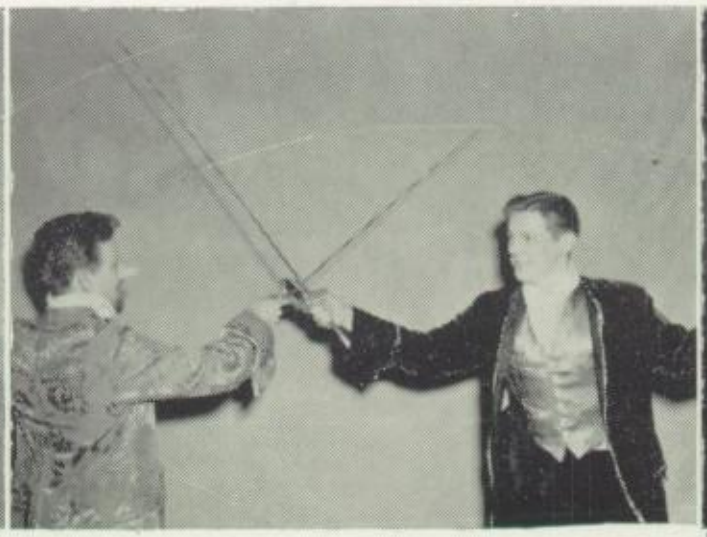
"SEVEN KEYS TO BALDPATE"





"CYRANO DE BERGERAC"

ARISTOS

The girls are pictured as they were at the Hallowe'en party when they listened to the recording of "The Snow Goose," enjoying cup cakes and cider.
Mary Lou Smith, Diane Harshbarger (President), Mary Ellen Henry (Vice President), Shirley Marion, Deva Daniels, Nancy Kwasny Pat Ellis, Rose Christian, Charlotte Hirst, Miss Mitchell (Adviser) Standing: Norma Clark, Deloris Blankenship, Patsy Snyder (Secretary Treasurer)

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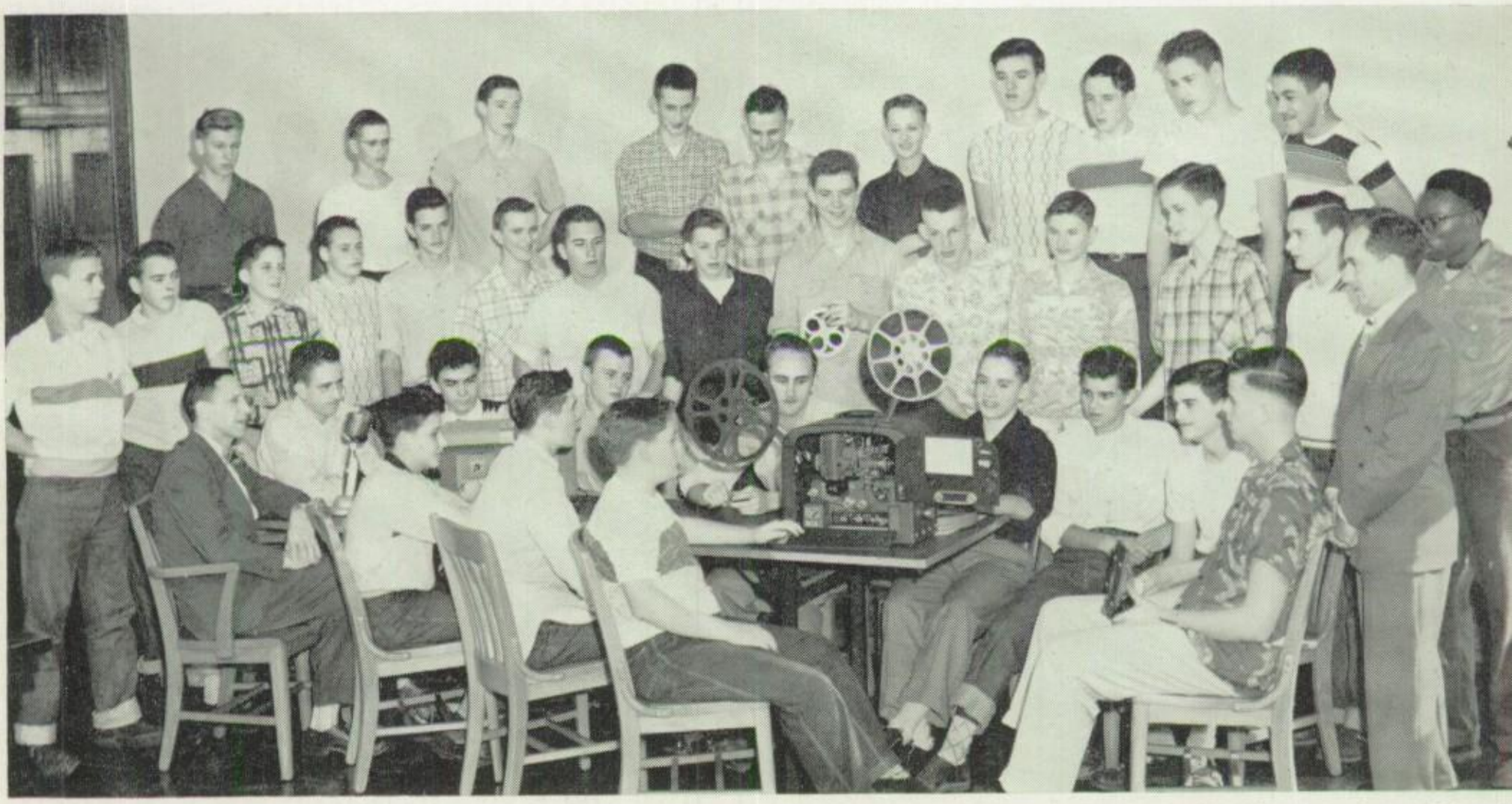


The Audio Visual Aides, a service club, is responsible for the care and operation of movie projectors, public address system, and other audio visual aids.
Row 1: Kenneth Gordon, Jack Corley, Jimmy Merritt.
Row 2: Mr. Corey (Adviser), Bill Mercer, John Hanley, Paul Durchholz, Wendell McRoberts, Jack Anderson, Allyn Kent, Robert Parker, Vern Thistlethwaite.
Row 3: Harry Butler, Stanley Kiser, Pat Coventry, James Edward Richard Veech, Kirt Wilson, Norman Sommer, Don Deadmon Frank Morgan, Don Simroth, Robert Eschbaugh, Richard Grov Don Hollingsworth, Mr. Rueff (Adviser), George Huff.
Row 4: David Tabor, David Mann, Clifford Hickman, Gary Bradsha Richard McDonald, Bill Fleming, Robert Bass, Robert Hall, Robe Dillow, Jerry Pierson.

BOYS' RIFLE CLUB

Row 1: Mr. Kohr (Adviser); Dick Potrafka, Glenn Porter, Bill Fleming, Roger Baum.

Row 2: Phillip Sheppard, Jerry Kitchell, Richard Lawson, Charles Michels, Jim Lamprecht, Dick Boland, John Marquis.

The Decatur High School Rifle Club provides supervised rifle shooting for interested high school boys. Weekly shoots are held on the indoor rifle range in the National Guard Armory. The Club is affiliated with the National Rifle Association which provides marksmanship medals for members who qualify with shooting accuracy. The .22 caliber rifle is used.

ANNIE OAKLEY CLUB

The Annie Oakley club is made up of girls who are interested in learning how to shoot a rifle. Their practices take place at the Armory.

Row 1: Deloris Blankenship, Betty Dart, Ethel Cole, Joanna Shobe (Secretary-Treasurer), Margaret Hanes (Vice President), Pat Bottrell (President), Shirley Franklin, Betty Myers, Shirley Willcut.

Row 2: Lenora Tangney, Marlene Blasingame, Florence Henry, Nancy Peterson, Eileen Morris, Sally Tate, Mr. Rosan (Adviser).

BUSINESS GIRLS' ASSOCIATION

The Business Girls' Association is composed of Junior and Senior girls taking two or more business education subjects.

Row 1: Shirley Finch, Joyce DeVore, Patti Bone, Audrey O'Connell, Betty Stach, Carolyn Barnhardt, Pat Snyder.
Row 2: Marilyn McQuality, Grace Camerer, Jean Bridgman, Marylou Schroth, Marjorie Hennon, Jackie Belden, Marilyn Brown, Carole Fritchley, Beverly Heckman, Burnetta Culver, Jeanette Scardello, Pauline Blover, Bernadine Ewing, Carolyn Etchison.
Row 3: Beverly Fox, Wanda Gattron, Darlene Macrafic, Beverly Jones, Juanita Shepherd, Arlene Thompson, Rosie Reidelberger, Carol Tolly, Barbara Burge, Marilyn Stratman.
Row 4: Beverly Rubin, Charline Duncan, Donna Dexter, Juanita Holler, Eleanor Daggett, Judy Kistler, Joyce Hart, Lois Westbrook.

DOLPHIN SWIMMING CLUB

Seated: Rita Smith, Janice Stone, Sally Latshaw, Glenda Kuntz, Barbara Brensley, Marilyn Lewis, Barbara Calvert, Barbara Hanna, Rita Corrington, Bebe Bowers, Marian Corrington.

In Water: Ann Baker, Martha Rosebraugh, Joan Richards, Shirley Bender, Harriet Applebaum.

Standing: Mrs. Beverly Meyer (Adviser).

The Dolphin Swimming Club was organized to give members an opportunity to improve their swimming skill. Synchronized swimming, diving, and stunts are a part of the activity program.

FRENCH CLUB

Row 1: Beverly White, Mauretta Pappas, Mary Jean Newlin, Judy James, Ann Baker, Rita Rambo (President), Marcia Robinett, Martha Housley, Karen Jack, Burl Stoner.

Row 2: Miss Larimore (Adviser), Doris Pryor, Connie Kull, Patricia Hoffman, Gwendolyn Knisley, Joyce Rose, Nancy Comer, Sandy Watts, Judy Ferguson, Ann Lindsay, Anne McLaughlin, Nina Temple, Joyce Armsworth, Judy Rosenberg, Sandra McGuire, Patsy Kerns, Charles Bradford.

French Club members continue their enjoyment of French culture. Programs and projects center around the French customs and interests of their choice.

FUTURE BUSINESS LEADERS OF AMERICA CLUB

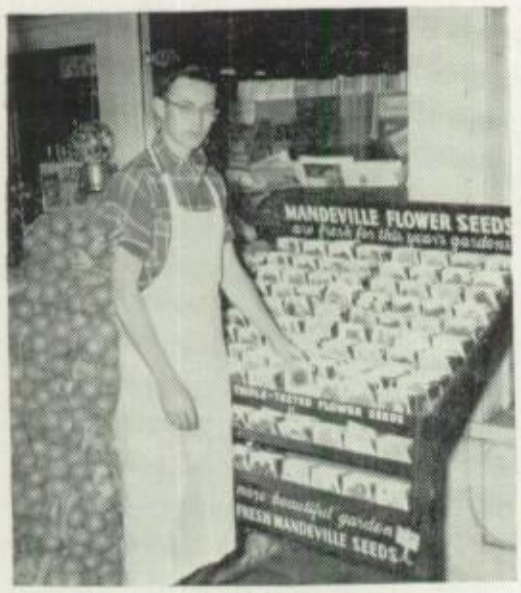
Row 1: Nina Taylor, Kay Saltsgaver.

Row 2: Elsie Wiesner, Mary Kay Williamson, Helen Sanderlin, Jane Beck, Georgia Harmon (Historian), Virginia Huffman (Vice-President), Ruth Moore (President), Mabel Scheiderer (Adviser).

Row 3: Patricia Ollesch, Darlene O'Brien (Reporter), Lula Holmer, Evelyn Brandenburg, Marilyn Jones, Joyce Fischer, Frances Strachan (Treasurer), and June Lowe (Secretary).

The Future Business Leaders of America Club is a national organization. Their theme for this year is "strive toward success".

FUTURE DISTRIBUTORS OF AMERICA



Marvin Fox
Tolly's

Jerry Colbert
Piggly Wiggly

Leon Bechtel
Howard's Market

Marilyn Cusick and Kathryn Fox
Haines & Essick's

Glenda Bess
Macon Music

Wayne Adams
Decatur Dry Goods

Carol Adams and Eldon Wade
J. C. Penney Co.

Donald J. Miller
Continental Store

Mary Lowe
Semmel's

Fred Moser, Barbara Morgan, Marylou Hoppe, Darlene Rannebarger
F. W. Woolworth Co.

Donald Bolyard
Block & Kuhl

Dale Roney
Tarrant Bros. Service Station

Richard Besalke
Famous Clothing

Philip Arndt
Howard's Market

Tony Viccone
Tony's Lunch Room

Patricia Butts
Block & Kuhl

Roy Morville
Spiegel's

Floyd Stradley
Pfile's Camera Shop

Rosa Lee Beiler
Newman's

Jerry Jones
Piggly Wiggly

Ronald Poole
Applebaum's

Patricia Nicholls
S. S. Kresge Co.

Haldon Himstedt
McDaniel's Pharmacy

FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA

The Homemaking Club (F. H. A.) is composed of girls taking, or who have taken home economics. As part of our activities, we have such things as talks by various speakers, wiener roasts and parties.

Row 1: Mamie Dismuke (Secretary), Phyllis Allen (Treasurer), Patricia Snyder (President), Mary Jo Moore (Vice President).
Row 2: Velma Harvey, Clara Coe, Beverly Fox, Nancy Hall, Lucille King, Sarah Newbon, Miss Theobald (Adviser).

FUTURE TEACHERS OF AMERICA

This pre-professional club aims to encourage young people to cultivate in themselves the qualities of personality and character which are the foundation of good teaching.
Lawrence Turner (Vice President), Marilyn Petty (President), Beverly Rupp, Marilyn Stewart, Marguerite Wahl (Secretary), Norma Wilson, Pete Haikalis, Miss Orr (Adviser), Debbie Birt (Historian), Jeanette Fawley (Treasurer), Marilyn McQuality, Carolyn Fleming, Paddy Martinie.

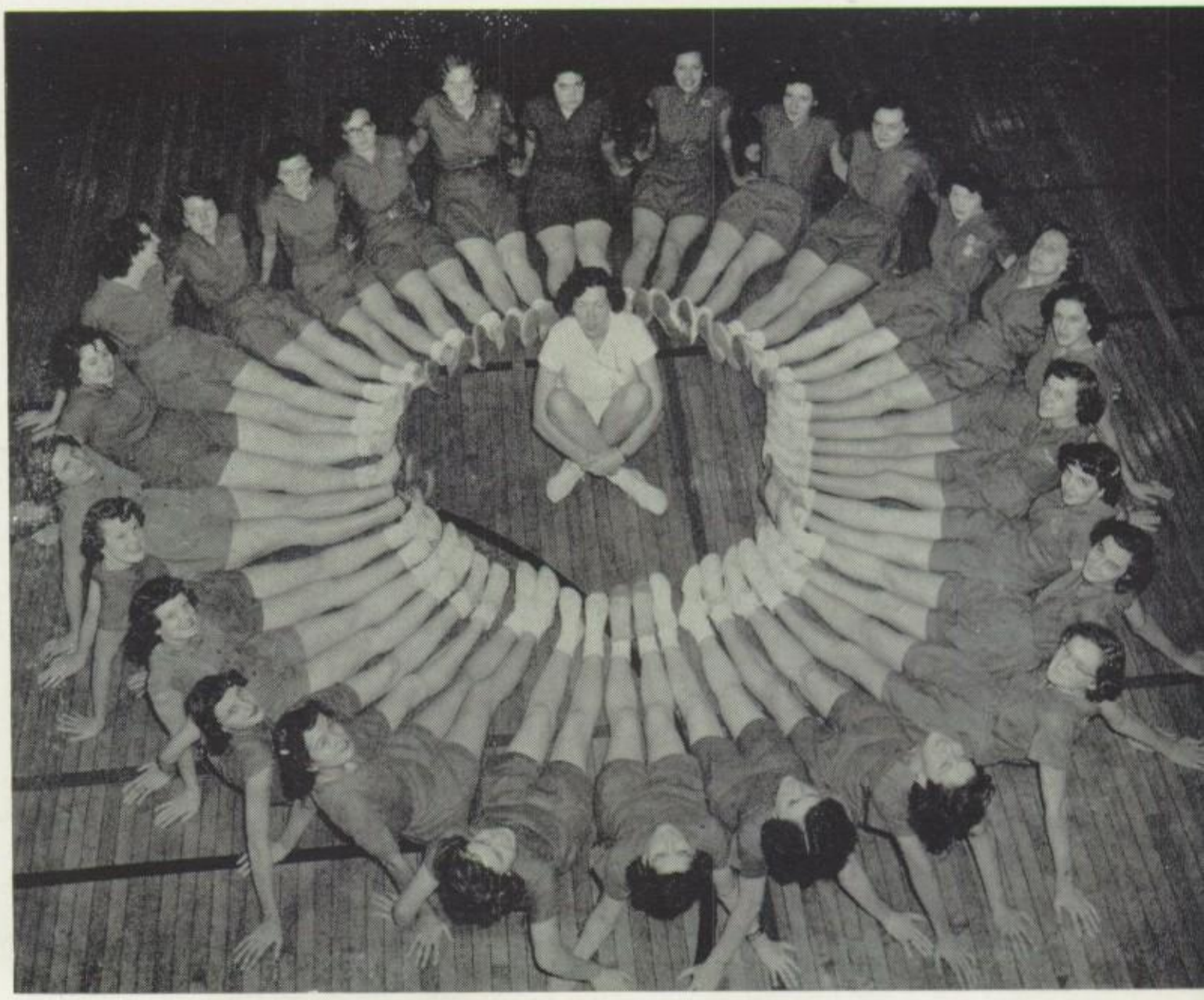
DER DEUTSCHE VEREIN

Row 1: Richard Kresin, Scott Wilkinson, Larry Smith, Eugene Hubbard, David Gollan, Lynn Simpson (Vice President), John Dratwick, David Allen.

Row 2: Charoline Saddler, Carol Bruns (Treasurer), Natalie Brix (President), Don Bowan, Kenneth Unrath (Treasurer), Richard Stroyeck, Lawrence Turner, Ronald Holmes, Elmer Keck, Ulrich Koelbel, Beverly White, Rose Christian, Sally Bachman (Secretary), Donald Eberhardt, Donald Downey, Miss Metzger (Adviser), Eugene Stanley.

The Club, made up of students interested in German, sends a food package each month to a German student. A traditional Christmas party heads this year's activities.

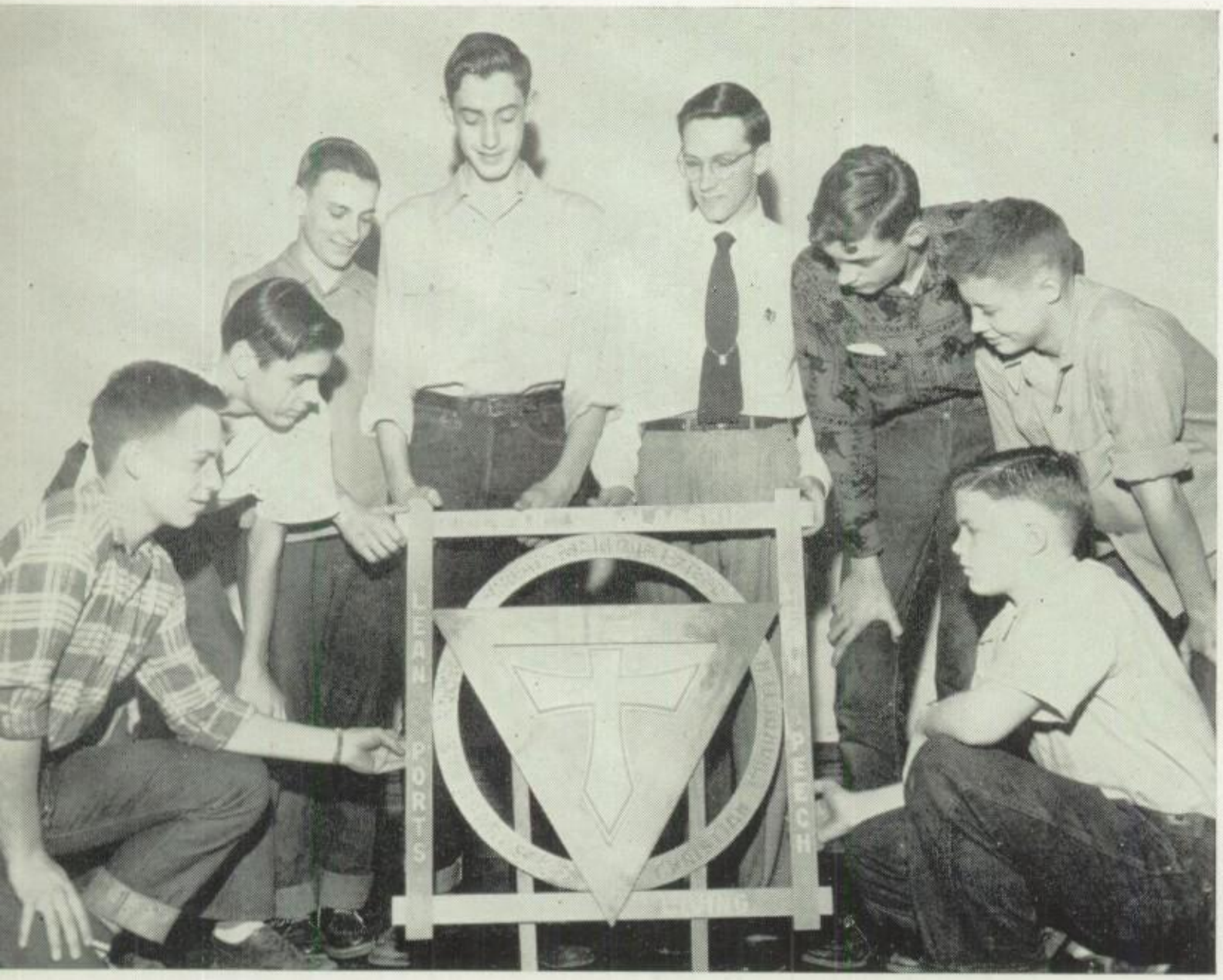
GIRLS' ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION



Glenna Harmon, Charlotte Wallace, Shirley Standerfer, Betty Schnittker, Virginia Wilson, Norma Wilson, Donna Dexter, Connie Bailey, Wanda Gaffron, Ruby Tucker, Bebe Bowers (Secretary), Violet O'Daffer, June Stern, Mary E. Ollesch, Kay Patzwitz, Dora Baum, Betty Anne Frede, Lynette Painter, Ruth Sanders, Marlene Boyd, Mary Frazier, Beverly Harrington, Barbara Bernard, Linda Barton.

The object of the Girls' Athletic Association is to stimulate interest and participation in girls' athletic activities and to promote ideals of health and sportsmanship.

AKROS CLUB



John Barnhardt, Ronald Spires, Roger Kloever, Richard Weldy, Frank Taylor (Adviser), Denton McCoy, Bob Swearingen, Roy Jordan.

HI-Y

Row 1: Mr. Taylor (Adviser), Jerry Fulk, Pete Haikalis, Bob Emmons, Richard Bergandine, William Sickman.

Row 2: David Allen, Jack Divilbiss, Cecil Stradley, Verne Thistlethwaite, Larry Hill, Jack Anderson, Danny Rees, Dale Williams, Dick Grove, Kenneth Gordon, Kenneth Whitsitt.

Since its reorganization in 1945, the Decatur Hi-Y Club has been active in promoting clean sports, clean speech, clean scholarship, and clean living. This year a new Hi-Y Club has been organized composed entirely of sophomores. The name chosen was the "Akros" Club.

JUNIOR ART LEAGUE

Row 1: Marjorie Buck, Charoline Saddler, Buford Nixon, Ronald James.

Row 2: Bernita Holler, Nancy Myers, Mary Alice Pershina, Mack Howell, Miss Bleeks (Adviser), William Butler, John Hanley.

Row 3: Rosemary Weddle, Betty Harlow, Paddy Lou Martinie.

The Junior Art League meets in the art room on Wednesday after school. Members of the group work on various projects in crafts, ceramics, drawing, and painting.

JUNIOR RED CROSS

Norma Tiernan, Janice Stone, Sandra Fisher, Shirley Clifford, Pete Haikalis, Evelyn Smith, June Stern, Phyllis Richison, Marianne Salogga, Linda Antrim, Carol Bruns, Natalie Brix, JoAnn Smiley, Mrs. Pires (Adviser).

The American Junior Red Cross is the junior membership of the American Red Cross. A student member is enrolled for service to the community in which he lives, as well as the nation.

SOCIETAS LATINA

Societas Latina is divided into four groups on basis of four classes of Latin, and meetings are held during class time.

Activities of Societas Latina are as follows: 1. Membership in Illinois Junior Classical Conference. Jack Anderson, representing D. H. S., was appointed treasurer. 2. All members participate in national competitive exams sponsored by the Association for the Promotion of the Study of Latin. 3. Latin Week, April 16-21—activities include exhibits, posters, and a Roman banquet. 4. A skit given on the radio to further interest in the study of Latin. 5. Participation by Larry Conlon, Richard Sandburg, William Palmer, and Donna Sowa in the statewide Latin contest.

Dancers: Donna Askren, Harriett Day.
Slaves: Cecil Stradley, Ronald Bates.
Officers (around table): Jack Anderson, Custos Thesauri; Mary Milhouse, Pontifex Maximus; David Resler, Adjutor Pontificis Maximi; Richard L. Myers, Scriba Pontificis Maximi.

Row 1: Glenna Flanders, Marlene Blasingame, Ruth Lyons, Leona Colebar, Donna Sowa, Barbara Sattley, Sharon O'Connell, Shirley Bergschneider, Patricia Moran, Esther Larimer.

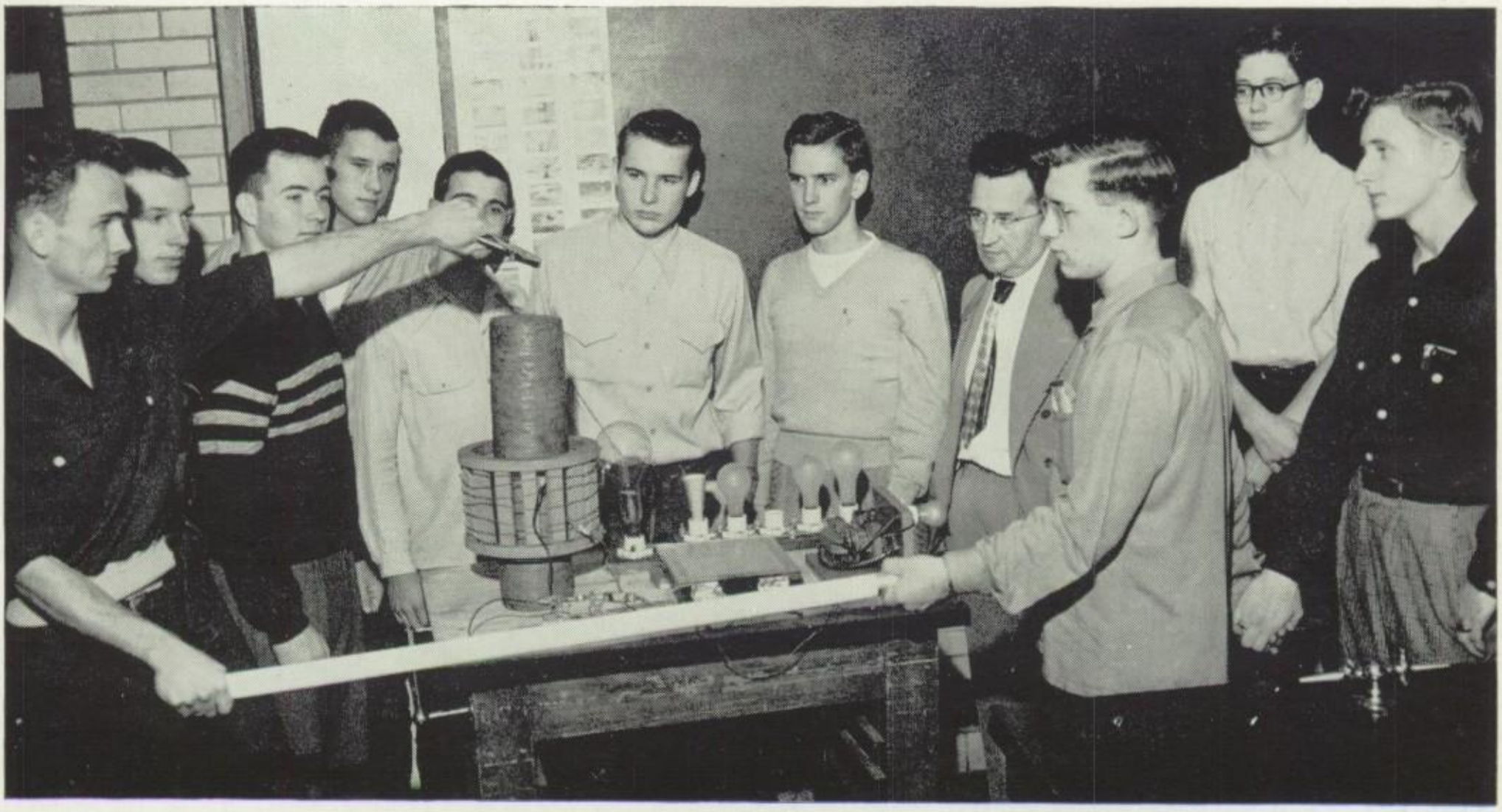
Row 2: Barbara Hall, Helen Irwin, Roberta Mueller, Margaret Day, Margie Montgomery, Sharon Peter, Patricia Soelle, Mary Allen, Miriam Andrews, Jean Stewart, Patricia Boliek, Carolyn Backus, Nina Moschenross, Joanne Chaniot, Martha Turner, Barbara Weill, Betty Endrizzi.

Row 3: Judy Loeb, Beverly Rupp, Patricia Donaldson, Patty Lewis, JoAnn Smiley, Evelyn Smith, Harriet Applebaum, Ann Lindsay, Dwight Marquis, Jim Yandell, Eldon Constant, Norman Greenberg, Jeanette Favourite, Nancy Dillow, Beverly Scott, Sue Burry, Rayonia Vaughn, Vern Thistlethwaite, Edward Catton.

Row 4: Dolores Barone, Beverly Peoples, Peggy Pappas, Marilyn Sapp, Barbara Hunt, Charlene Ballinger, Gloria Green, Rowena Williamson, Nancy Ziemer, Rosemary Weddle, Peggy Nelson, Emerson Shultz, Ronald Mitchell, Karl Bader, William Palmer, Ronald Frahlman, John Scott, Everett Scott, Larry Krause.

Row 5: Mr. Dirksen (Adviser), Jerry Zellmann, Kirt Wilson, Steve Richardson, Gene Moss, Larry Mueller, Stuart Burstein, William Cushing, Allyn Kent, Robert Parker, Richard Sandburg, Richard Ruedi, Carl Sanders, Chris Tsevelekos, Richard Veech, Robert Eschbaugh, Tom McCarty, Sam Harrison, Keith Purviance, Jack Campbell.

PHYSICS CLUB



The Physics Club ponders over facts and theories, established principles, and new ideas, successful devices and pipe dreams—unhampered by any course of study.

Larry Smith, Don Simroth, Thomas Murphy, Richard Stroyeck, Larry Shull, Paul DeMoss, Keith Prater, Mr. Jones (Adviser), Harry Lawrence, Marvin Lieberman, Eugene Hubbard.

TRI-Y

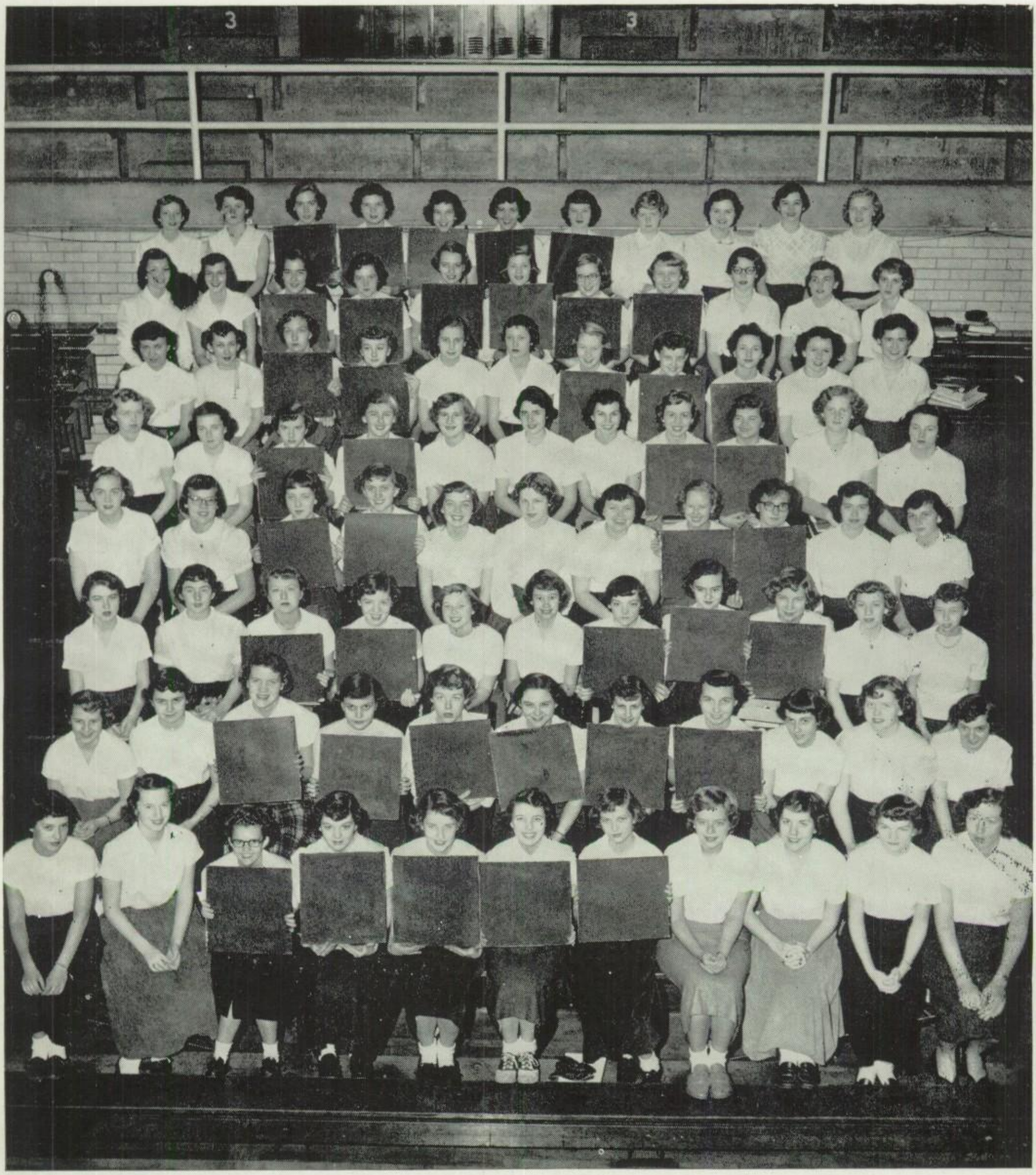
Tri-Y is a club for sophomore, junior, and senior girls who want companionship, friendship, and fellowship. Meetings are held bi-weekly at the Y. W. C. A.

Row 1: Nelda Sheets, Frances Hunt, Sharon Cooper, Estella Elam, Nina Moschenross (President).

Row 2: Beverly Burton, Marly Kay Williams, Barbara Hunt, Nancy Peterson, Donna Anderson, Helen Primm, Arlene Pruitt, Mrs. Drury (Adviser).

Row 3: Lulla Belle Rozzell, Pat Ross, Carol Doolen, Beverly Moore, Charlene Terneus, Barbara Abraham, Nancy Richardson, Joan Bowman.

RED PEPPERS



Row 1: A. McLaughlin, J. Sollenberger, N. Tewell, M. Robinett, A. Hoogestraat, M. Newlin, P. Killey, A. Baker, A. Logan, J. Troutman, M. Stone.
Row 2: R. Smith, N. Brix, J. Stone, C. McElhaney, S. Latshaw, H. Appelbaum, M. Earl, N. Tiernan, M. Salogga, M. Eaton, D. Hiser.
Row 3: N. Henry, J. Beatty, J. Huffer, M. Wagoner, S. Scott, C. Rostek, B. Robinett, B. Gregory, J. Miller, P. Atkins, C. Barnhardt.
Row 4: J. Hale, A. Harnish, K. Salt'sgaver, F. Mildred, H. Day, M. Turner, M. Kellams, G. Smith, V. O'Daffer, L. Holmer, J. Kistler.
Row 5: R. Larson, P. Connelly, R. Smith, N. Temple, C. Kull, A. Rosenberg, M. Smith, J. Bridgman, B. Payton, F. Berry, N. Davis.
Row 6: M. Ollesch, B. Stach, S. Sweet, D. Stark, J. Daugherty, M. Smith, K. Jack, B. Rubin, M. Brown, B. Jones, C. Jones.
Row 7: J. James, C. Tenney, A. Lindsay, J. Armsworth, P. Kerns, S. Watts, M. Housley, A. Pace, M. Hastings, J. Hull, N. Robinson.
Row 8: J. Tuttle, S. Probst, J. Shotton, D. Olin, M. Price, S. Hiser, R. Lacey, K. Kaufmann, M. Mumma, C. Felts, J. Hebbeln Piotenhaver.

RED ROWDIES

Row 1: B. Briggs, G. Bradshaw, G. Berry (President), R. Quigle, B. Wilson, B. Bohon, F. Beaman (Sec.-Treas.), J. Bair, F. Moser, M. O'Connell.

Row 2: F. Renfeld, D. Rainwater, L. Barns, B. Massingale, D. Resler, N. Stivers, K. Roberts, L. Corzine, L. Simpson, T. Smiley, Mr. Dickman.

Row 3: D. Potrafka, P. Heyduck, G. Guidotti, B. Wantlund; P. de Moss, E. Born, L. Burns, J. Harris, C. Fields, B. Abbott.

Row 4: R. Davis, K. Unrath, D. McMillen, A. Kent, J. Anderson, B. Longstreet, J. Dean, J. Divilbiss, K. Wilson, G. Moss, R. Ray.

Row 5: T. Murphy, A. Quinn, L. Duda, R. Schwarze (Vice President), J. Johnson, D. Landram, J. Welch, L. Mueller, S. Richardson, N. Sommers, D. Tolliver.

Row 6: D. Stroyeck, U. Koelbel, B. Bailey, B. Lowell, C. Meek, J. Zellmann, D. Wieland, H. Turner, K. Irwin, H. Daugherty.

Row 7: B. Mercer, B. Thornton, D. Pence, P. Ryan, B. Cook, D. Adcock, J. Swift, L. Kapp, C. Hilliard.

Row 8: P. Durchholz, R. Syfert, J. Voss, R. Bielefeld, D. Kull, C. Askren, D. Cuttill.

Row 9: B. Christensen, B. Finley, D. Grove, B. Richards, G. Mennel, D. Dudley, B. Grubb, G. Mays, J. Pierson.

THALIA

Thalia presented Anne Martin's three-act comedy, "Don't Take My Penny," to sponsor our Italian friend, Guido Guidotti. Social highlights of the year were the party, "College of Good Cheer," and a picnic with the French Club.

Among the topics studied at regular meetings were types of laughter, facial expressions, gestures, groupings, pantomimes, and emotions. Original one and two-act plays were presented. One-act plays were under the direction of students.

Balcony: Gwen Smith, Pat Atkins, Bud Fancher, Betty Starr, Bill Butler, Jack Goss, Guido Guidotti, Jack Tosh, Larry Shull, Rosie Reidelberger, Judy Ferguson.

Stairs, Row 1: Sandra Watts, Martha Housley, Marda Hastings, Amy Lou Sickman, Connie Jones, Billye Deaton.

Row 2: Margaret Hanes, Shirley DePriest, Marilyn Lewis, Ann Pace

Row 3: Judy Rosenberg, Barbara Calvert, Phyllis Walker, Judy Hull Paddy Lou Martinie, Joanlee Wilke, Shirley Willcutt.

Row 4: Sharon Peter, Ann Young, Marguerite Wahl, Marilyn McQuality, Diane Maltas, Janet Garver, Mary Jean Newlin, Harriett Day Martha Turner, Ethel Cole, Norma Robinson.

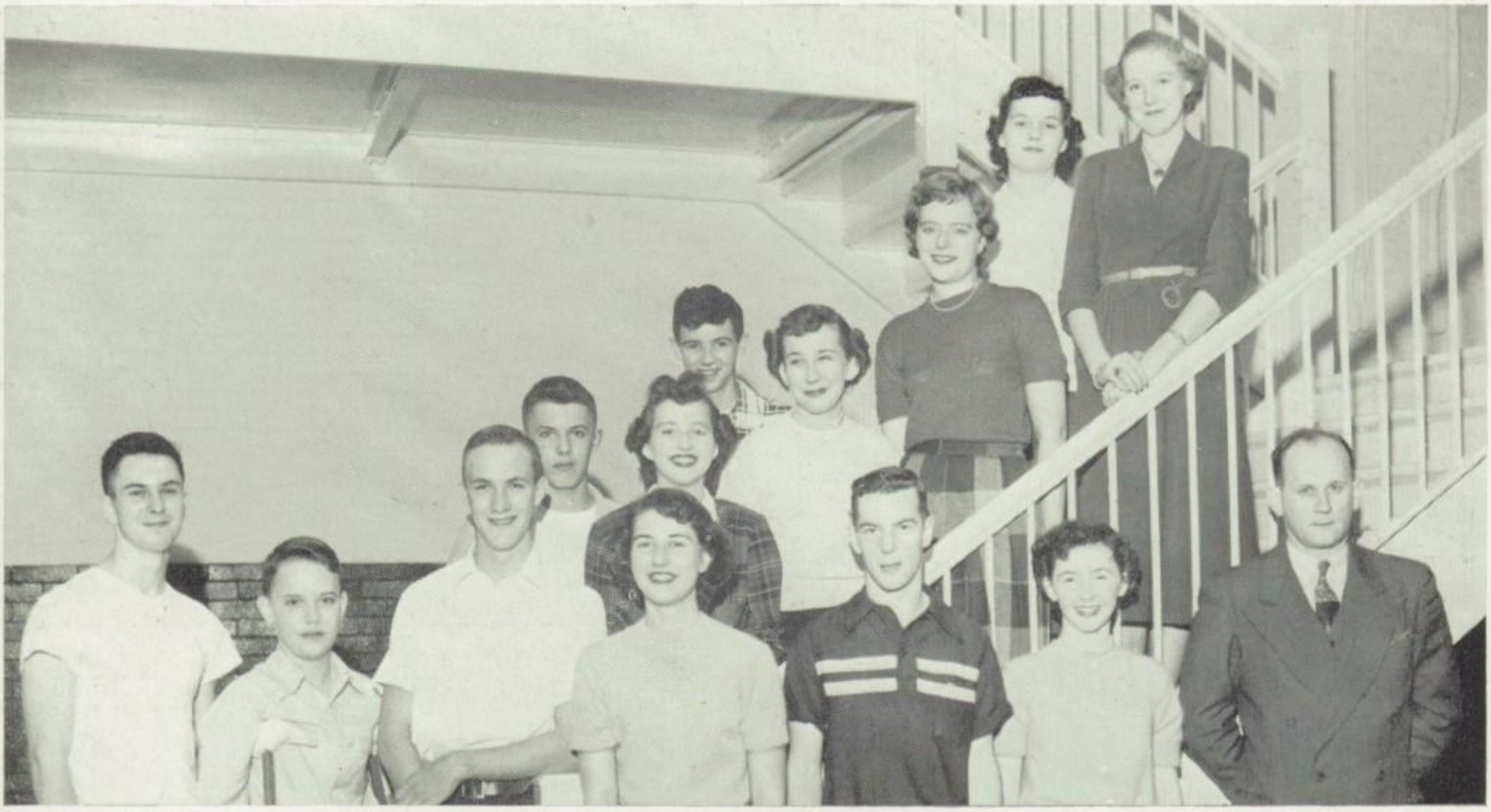
Floor: Betty Creighton, Nancy Noland (Treasurer), Anne McLaughlin (President), Rita Smith (Vice President), Richard McDonald and Harold Stafford (Sergeant-at-Arms), Miss Robertson (Adviser).

Seated: Edward Catton, Carolyn Fleming, Jackie Belden, Joanne Richards, Phyllis Barber, Betty Sanford.

USHERS

Marilyn Petty, Jeanette Fawley, Phyllis Stuckey, Nancy Pier, Lois Redden, Nadine Harper, Linda Antrim, Janet Cochran, Shirley Denson, Doris Deadmond, Audrey Athey, Barbara McCrory, Lila Tabor, Carol Hayes, Lyla Beals, Peggy Albers, Mr. Davis (Adviser).

FUN CLUB COUNCIL



Row 1: Lucien Kapp, Rodger Quigle, Karl Meurlot, Alliene Hoogestraat (Secretary), Dan Van Meter (Vice President), Jeaneen Crow (President), Mr. Spilman (Adviser).
On Stairs: Carl Sanders, Gloria Taylor, Allyn Kent, Betty Stach, Ann Baker, Winona Gambrel, Donna Stephens.

The "Y" Fun Club Council consists of selected D. H. S. and St. Teresa students. Its main purpose is to plan weekly dances and to handle all situations confronting the Club.

PAINT AND POWDER CLUB

This club is made up of students who are interested in theatrical make-up. They learn how to apply stage make-up to give different effects, and they practice on other members and themselves. The club does the make-up for class plays, the operetta, and other performances where their services are requested.

Sue Burry, Edith Crone, Rayonia Vaughn, Carol Fritchley, Jack Standerfer, Betty Harlow, Fred Shipley, Dee Brown, Janet Lichtenberger, Nancy Comer, Janice Stone, Joyce Rose, Sally Latshaw, John Snyder, Harriet Day, Martha Rosebraugh, Carol Bruns, Martha Turner, Marilyn Mumma, Mary Jean Newlin, Judy Loeb, Miss Gorham (Adviser), Diane Maltas, Nancy Noland, Rosie Reidelberger, Dorothy Tuttle, Judy Cassell, Judy Beaman, Helen Irwin, Barbara Hall, Mary Ann Chumbley, Judy Ferguson.

TOWN MEETING DISCUSSION CLUB

The Town Meeting Discussion Club is composed of students who discuss current national and international problems. The Club has met for many years in the conference room of the Association of Commerce.

Mr. Stearns (Adviser), James W. Johnson (Treasurer, second semester), Lynette Painter, William Palmer, Sharna Susler, Jack Wilbe (Vice President, first semester; President, second semester), Virginia Campbell (Secretary), Mary Lou Evans (President, first semester) George Pinner (Treasurer, first semester), Marjorie Mayfield, Harr Lawrence, Carolyn Holmstrand (Vice President, second semester) Charlene Kemper, Richard Kresin.

LIBRARY COUNCIL

Seated: Joanne German, Elizabeth Eastham, Sandra Ballinger, Carol Hollingsworth, Diane Harshbarger.
Row 1: Mrs. Fry, Beverly Fox, Sally Parker, Delores Cox, Betty Endrizzi, Shirley Bergschneider, Darlene Erwin, Hazel Glover, Virginia Howell.
Row 2: Mary Grayned, Phyllis Blazer, Marilyn McDaniel, Delores Blankenship, Beverly Durbin, Beverly Elliott, Shirley Willcut, Pauline Glover.

BUILDING TRADES

Row 1: W. C. Parker, Jerry Dickerson, Harold Grathwohl, Ed. Tangney, D. L. Young, Instructor.
Row 2: Bob Strachan, Arthur Stepansky, Bob Stearns, Robert Waller, John Snyder, Wallace Trimble.

Row 1: Tom McKee, Dick Daniels, Kenneth Minnis, Robert Ticknor, D. L. Young, Instructor.
Row 2: Danny Hursh, Stanley Arnold, Rex Poe, Allen Myers, Carl Goldsborough.

FIRE POSTER AWARDS

Gerry Berry, Charoline Saddler, Ronald Myers, Richard Hettinger, Mary Ann Rogers, John Hanley, Buford Nixon

SHORT STORY CONTEST

Audrey Athey, Wayne Adams, Bebe Carol Bowers, Jeanne Miller, Jack Wilber

ADVANCED GIRLS

Row 1: Mary Kellams, Mari Lou Smith, Gloralie Cooney, Jean Sollenberger, Marilyn Neuendorf, Harriett Day, Anne McLaughlin, Betty Augustine, Colleen Grossman, Barbara Hill, Janet Cochran.

Row 2: Ethel Scrimpsher, Mary Luka, Dorothy Tuttle, Grace Camerer, Martha Duncan, Esther Tertel, Jackie Grabb, Marilyn Trainer, Marilyn Wagoner, Martha Housley, Joyce Sanders, Helen May, Shirley Probst, Madonna McLemore.

Row 3: Alliene Hoogestraat, Mary Milhouse, Rosemary Trimble, Marda Hastings, Carol McElhany, Martha Turner, Mary Marie Smith, Barbara Robinett, Marylou Evans, Louise Slaughter, Diane Maltas, Janis Katz, Janet Marshall, Idell Hinton, Diane Kirk.

Row 4: Miss Burlison, Mary Greider, Sandra Watts, Donna Moore, Marilyn David, Mary Ann Rogers, Glenda Kuntz, Joan Goss, Marcia Robinett, D'Arlene Cowgill, Carolyn Holmstrand, Ann Blackford, Ann Baker.

A CHOIR

Row 1: Betty Seitz, Mauretta Pappas, Joyce Gordy, Nancy Noland, Jean Richhart, Pat Killey, Joyce Huffer, Jane Greene, Nancy Ashe, Merry Hope Hinton, Dorothy Molloy, Norma Robinson, Lois Walker.

Row 2: Juanita Shepherd, Shirley Vogel, Patsy Allen, Carolyn Nance, Joan Williams, Mary Lou Minnis, Joan Ludwig, Ruth Larson, Patsy Sue Kerns, Joanne Chaniot, Barbara McCrory, Phyllis Stuckey, Sharna Susler, Margie Siburt, Marilyn Pierce, Sally Meadows, Clara Miller.

Row 3: Sam Ryan, Bob Briggs, Weston Brohard, Jerry Edwards, Burdette Wantland, Larry Ahern, Robert Weisenbacher, David Mann, Pete Haikalis, Norman Trolia, Marilyn Petty, Wilma Richards, Pat High, Pat Connelly, Joyce Shotton, Mary Ollesch, Carol Doolin.

Row 4: Edgar Augustine, Lloyd Farris, Fred Rendfeld, Bill Moutray, Davis Whitten, Dean McMillen, Jim Wright, Dean Cuttill, Cloyce Smith, Ned Peabody, Richard Allinson, John Fish, Dick Myers, Billy Burge, Bob Finley, Lynn Simpson, Mr. Noland directing.

"B" CHOIR

Row 1: Donna Sowa, Marlene Stewart, Beverly Tapscott, Marilyn Brown, Barbara Weill, Carole Bacon, Norma Eaton, Patti Fulks, Nancy McCrary, Marlene Price, Carol Bruns, Jeanne Miller, Marly Williams, Ethel Cole, Joanne Shull.

Row 2: Winona Gambril, Deva Daniels, Joan Morthland, Carolyn Tenney, Joyce Armsworth, Shirley Cuttill, Diane Kanakis, Mary Ann Dellert, Lynette Painter, Harriet Appelbaum, Peggy Deaton, Helen Tish, Phyllis Allsop, Pat Hoffman, Pat Bottrell, Marguerite Wahl.

Row 3: Shirlee Hipsher, Marilyn McQuality, Sandra McGuire, Carolyn Backus, Charles Hilliard, Glenn Porter, Robert Davis, Larry Anderson, Herbert Hewey, Ronald Voss, Ray Weddle, Allen Chandler, Jack Keller, Pat Boliek, Barbara Payton, Joan Bowman.

Row 4: Harry Lawrence, David Miller, Jim Van Meter, Barry Dobson, Charles Roberts, Bill Polen, Jim Fuson, Ulrich Koelbel, Ken Unrath, Jack Taylor, Harold Stratton, Neil Williamson, Dan Wieland, Richard Ruedi, Don Turner, Jerry Pierson.

MADRIGALS

Row 1: Shirley Probst, Wi
Richards, Beverly Nash, P
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Patti Ann Fulks, Caro
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Row 2: Jim Wright, Nor
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Allinson, Lynn Simpson.

MODERNAIRES

Row 1: Joyce Gordy, Mary Ollesch, Nancy Noland, Phyllis Walters, Mary Minnis, Carol Doolin, Ruth Tabor, Joyce Huffer, Pat High, Janet Cochran, Mauretta Pappas.

Row 2: Dick Myers, John Fish, Ned Peabody, Bob Briggs, Bill Butl
Edgar Augustine, Ronald Mitchell, Dick Evans.

SONGSTERS

Around Piano: Madonna McLemore, Janet Marshall, Lois Walker

Standing: Mary Kellams, Joanne Hebbeln, Mari Lou Smith, Alliene Hoogestraat, Martha Turner, Barbara McCammon, Anne McLaughlin, Barbara Hill.

Missing from picture: Idell Hinton and Jane Greene, Accompanist.

BOYS' GLEE CLUB

Row 1: Duane Wise, Edward Klebe, Eugene Shuppara, Dale Williams, Eugene Mennel.

Row 2: Wilbur Ward, Jack Campbell, Don Burns, Robert Parker, Gilbert Maines, Jim Welch.

Row 3: George Huff, Bob Emmons, Don Rainwater, Walter Ivie, John Boyer, Richard Robb.

Row 4: James Perry, Lynn Braden, Robert Richards, Robert Whicker, Bill Beals, Ross Thompson, Keith Purviance.

Not in picture: Glen Huffman, Lloyd Huffman, Bob Eschbaugh.

GIRLS' GLEE A

Row 1: Marlene Boyd, Joyce Roller, Jean Richhart, Judy Loeb, Pat Phillips, Margaret Day, Pat Lenover, Marcia Churchman, Betty Sanford, Rita Corrington, Jeanne Phillips, Patty Witts.

Row 2: Julia Raffington, Billye Deaton, Carol Hollingsworth, Helen Irwin, Roberta Mueller, Mary Ann Chumbley, Judy Beaman, Joel Click, Shirley Cuttill, Barbara Hall, Marlene Lents, Marilyn Horath.

Row 3: Shirley Tosh, Nadine Eckart, Judy Ferguson, Mary Ann Little, Eileen Morris, Shirley Willcut, Nancy Hall, Phyllis Ott, Kay Thomas, Barbara Mitchell, Jeanette Favourite, Dorothy Howell.

Row 4: Carol Zimmer, Alyson Mann, Margie Montgomery, Donna Askren, Pat Ross, Judy Rosenberg, Mamie Dismuke, Betty Schnittker, Donna Stephens, Barbara Hanna, June Stewart, Pat Hill, Norma Wilson.

GIRLS' GLEE B

Row 1: Edith Crone, Gloria Ann Taylor, Ruth Wisdom, Leona Colebar, Toni Romano, Helen Custin, Patty Thornton, Shirley Standerfer, June Stern, Bette Pinkley, Norma Clark, Kay Pinkerton, Linda Antrim.

Row 2: Helen Jones, Mary Wooley, Mary Edwards, Nancy Kiser, Janet Botts, Mary Summers, Eunice Williams, Ohantha Bell, Delores Bass, Pat Adams, Rose Eaton, Betty Frede, Joan Blakeney, Gloria Matthews, Jean Dannewitz.

Row 3: Elsie Curry, Ann Young, Nancy Bradley, Ann Finson, Clara Coe, Mary Grayned, Pearlie Sumpter, Mary Allen, Pat Soelle, Marilyn Sapp, Peggy Pappas, Anna Lee Castleberry, Sharon Peters, Beverly Peoples, Alice Beggs.

GIRLS' CHORUS

Row 1: Ellen Rueff, Jane Beneze, Mary Robinson, Darlene Hayes, Esther Beneze, Marilyn Warren, Joyce Langlois, Darlene Erwin, Nina Moschénross, Beverly Rubin, Beverly Jones.

Row 2: Sally Quinn, Sally Smith, Barbara Sattley, Nancy Hill, Juanita Holler, Lois Greenberg, Janet Sollers, Mary Jean Paul, Pat Nance, Carla Shanks, Sophronia Tipsword, Janet Garver.

Row 3: Marjorie Craig, Agnes Truebe, Pat Prasun, Bonnie Lukens, Romelle Hebel, Frances Caudill, Alice Gaunt, Bonnie Parr, Marilyn Fenton, Judy Hull, Carol Haynes, Shirley Puckett, Mary Moore.

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC
ORCHESTRA

VIOLINS: Jean Hunter, Doris Olin, Marian Corrington, Carol Zimmer, Roberta Mueller, G. Allyn Kent, Julia Raffington, Shirley Britton, Billy Kahler, Elizabeth Eastham, Nancy Ziemer, Joanne German.
VIOLAS: Duane Wise, Denton McCoy.
CELLOS: Richard Eichel, Margaret Day, Hilda Phillips, Marilyn Clanton.
STRING BASSES: Suzanne Connelly, Donna Askren.
PIANO: Patricia Connolly, Doris Pryor.

FLUTES: Carol Higgins, Lois Redden.
OBOE: Nancy Peterson.
CLARINETS: Emerson Shultz, Bill Grubb.
BASSOON: Glenda Kuntz.
ALTO SAXOPHONE: Duane Cearlock.
TENOR SAXOPHONE: Glenn Nixon.
CORNETS: Terry Kitchell.
TROMBONE: Clyde Putnam

B BAND

CLARINETS: Charlene Kemper, Mary Allen, Barbara Hanna, Patricia Rogers, Edward Catton, Eiver Bolay, Amy Sickman, Mary Ann Kelm, Ronald Seip, Norman Thompson.

SAXOPHONES: Shirley Reed, Lyle Revis, William Beeman, Willie Sangster, Larry Hill, Carlos Griffin, Raymond Alexander, Richard Kemp.

CORNETS: Terry Kitchell, Virgil Lane, Ardath Barnes, Eldon Constant, Don Eberhardt, Ronald Bowman, Jim Stillman, Bob Massingale, William Fleming.

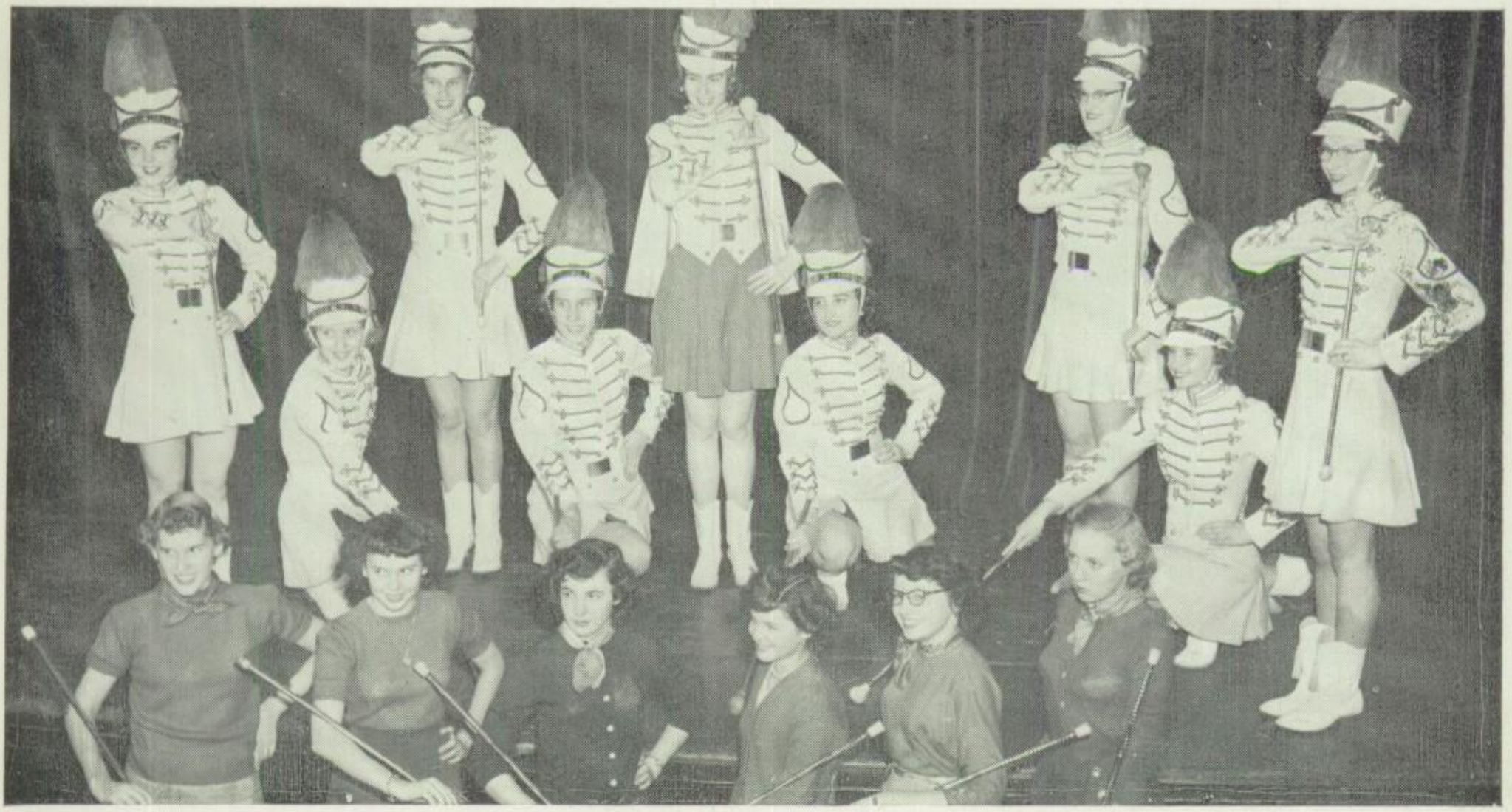
BARITONES: Keith Stone, Richard Cox.

TROMBONES: John Campbell, Bob Dellert, Dave Barnes.

BASS: Darrell Smith.

DRUMS: Larry Fravell, Fred Cox, Warren Paire.

BATON TWIRLERS



Row 1: Juanita Holler, Florence Moler, Nancy Carter, Margaret Slaughter, Shirley Toll, Donna Stephens.

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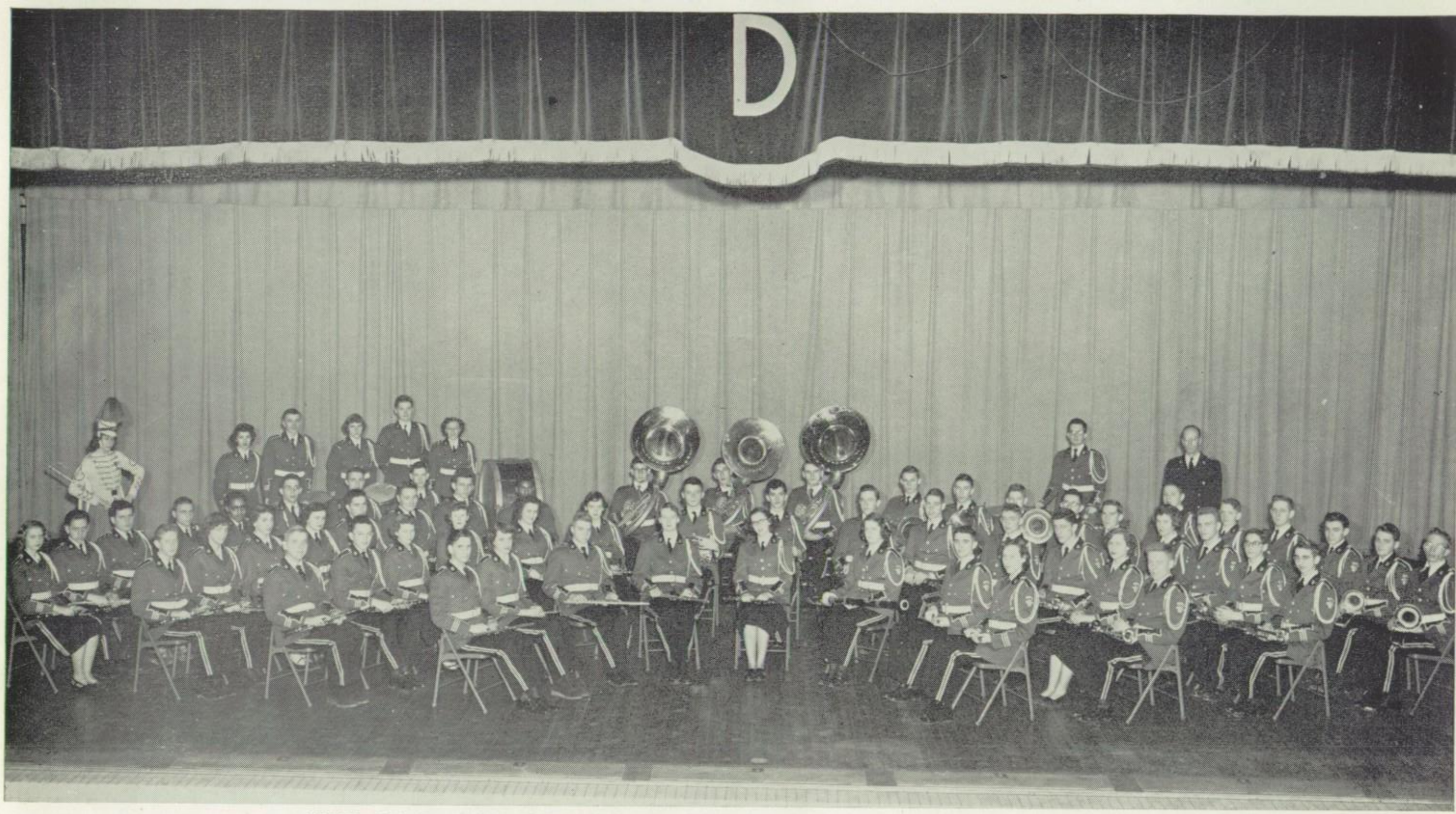

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FLUTES: Keith Prater, Walter Babcock, Carol Higgins, Ruth McNabb.
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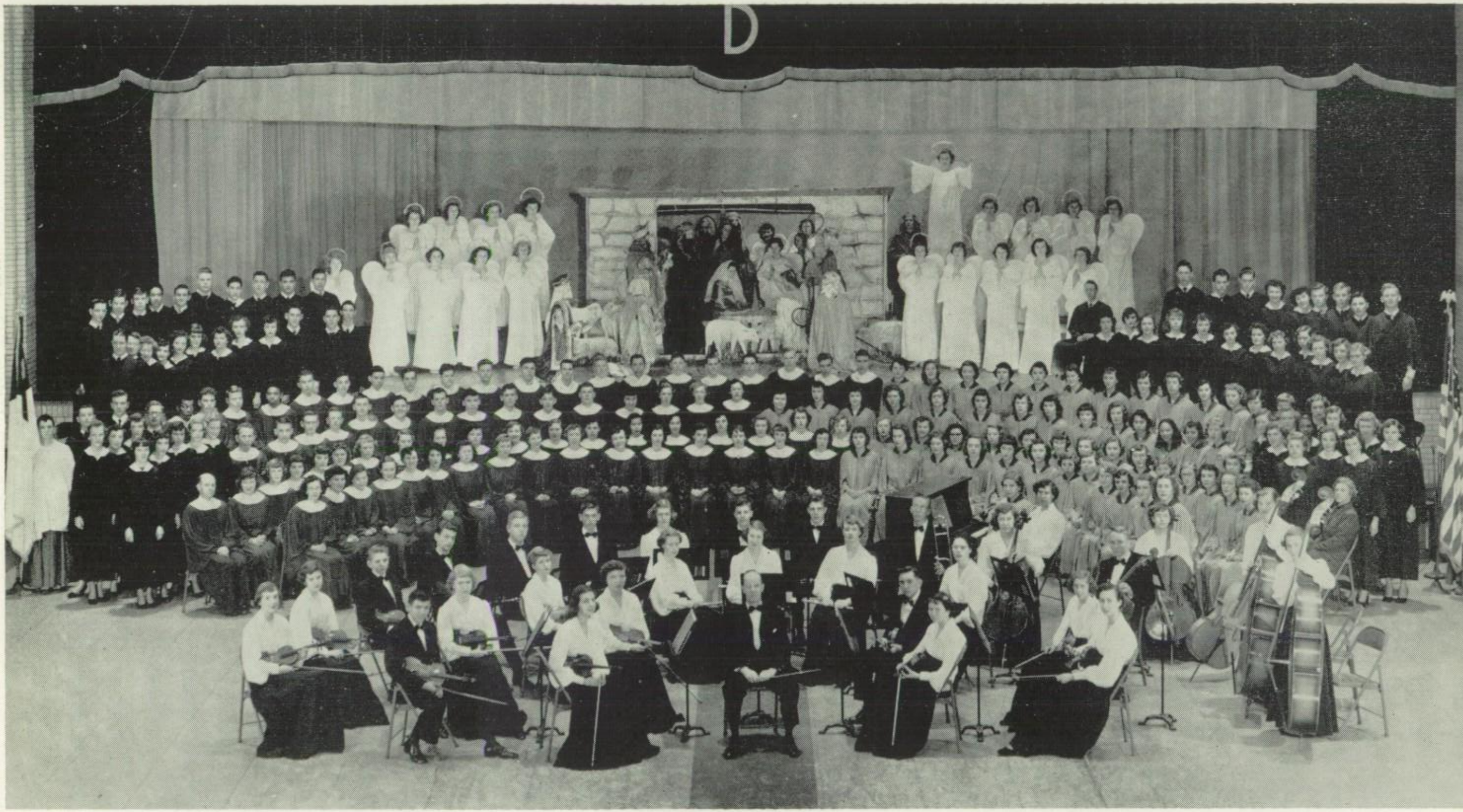
BASS CLARINET: Dale Livingston.
ALTO SAX: Duane Cearlock, Laudell Jackson, Arlin Rice, Duane Dudley.
TENOR SAX: Glenn Nixon, Don Gneckow.
BARITONE SAX: Jim Olivero.
CORNETS: Jim Bair, Jackie Miller, Bill Clausen, Alan Guinn, Danny Rees, John Dymond, John Dratwick, Don Downey, Janet Marsh, Dick Griffith, Ronald Bates, Stuart Burstein, Larry Duda.
BARITONES: R. D. Schwarze, Laurence Craig, Kenneth Whitsitt.
HORNS: Don Killpatrick, Linda Major, Jim Witt, Charles Burgener, John Beane.
TROMBONES: Clyde Putnam, Jim Witzeman, Jim Dailey, Don Baer, Billy Crist, Bill Morris.
BASSES: Charles Wolfe, Ronald Clanton, Richard W. Peck.
TYMPANI: Frank Beaman.
PERCUSSION: Shirley Searcy, Shirley Spear, Richard Adcock, Karl Bader, Marilyn Stewart.
DRUM MAJOR: Joanlee Wilke.



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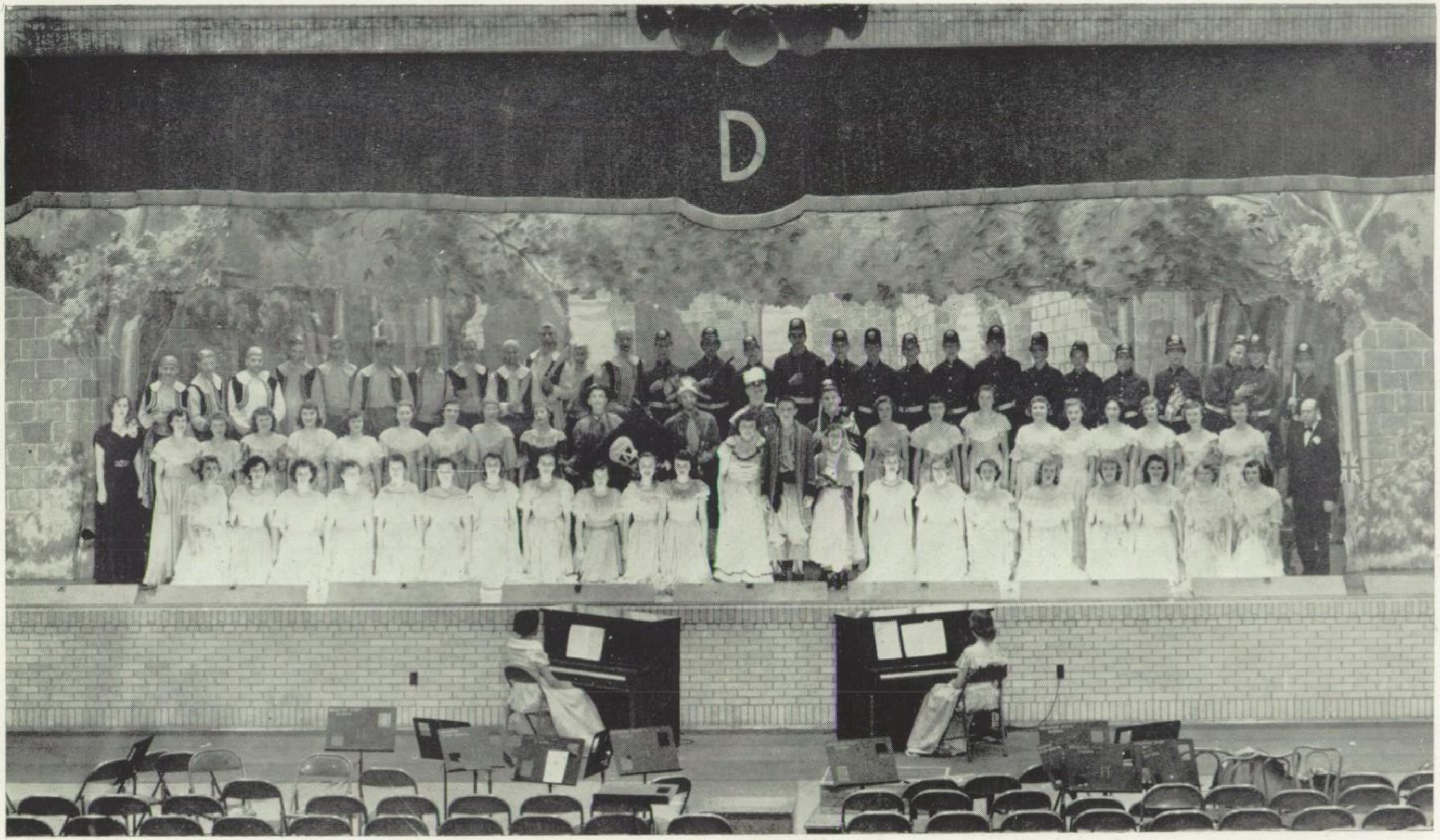


"PIRATES OF PENZANCE"

SPORTS

"Hip, Hip, Hooray"

Charles Galbreath
"C" Squad

Roy Nelson
Line Coach

David Batthauer
"B" Squad

Van Howe
Head Coach

Dick Evans
Jim Romano
Managers

FOOTBALL
1951

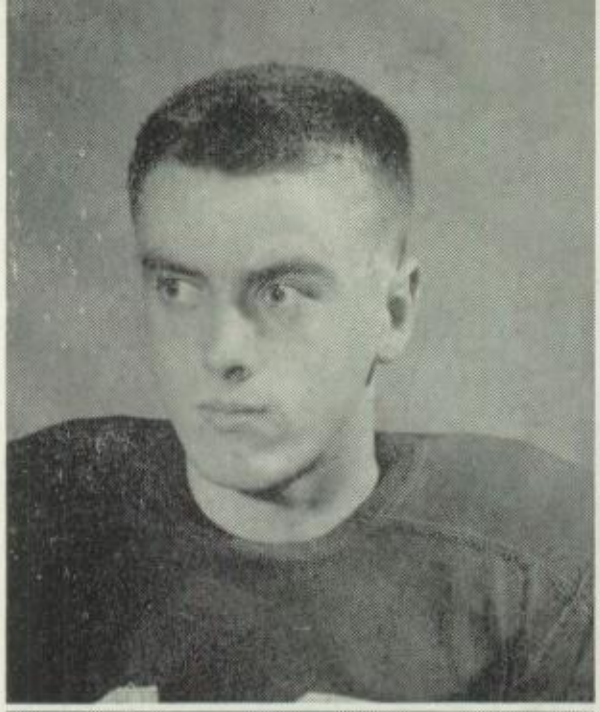
In commenting on the season's performance, Coach Van Howe said, "We made every one of them come out and play us. We didn't forfeit a single game." Decatur High had one of its less successful football seasons this year, finishing with a record of three games won and six lost.

The season was highlighted by a 19-7 win over Quincy in the Homecoming game.

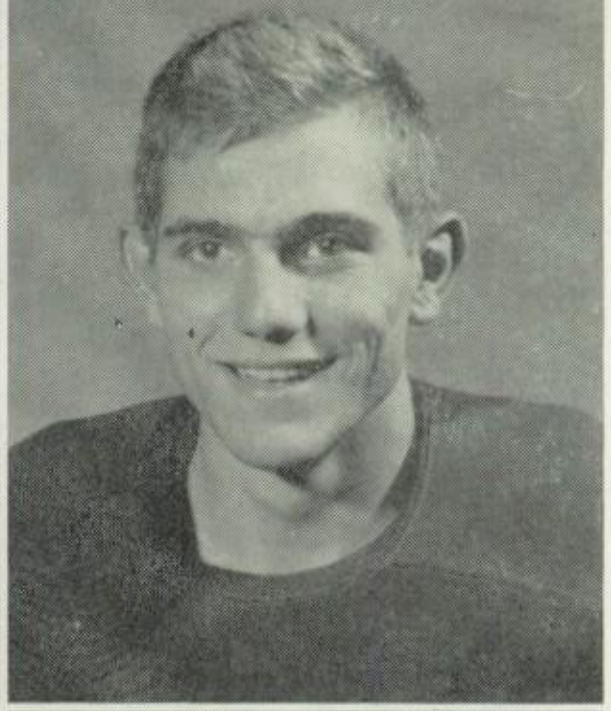
FOOTBALL SCORES

Decatur	7	University City	13
Decatur	31	Bloomington	19
Decatur	7	Mattoon	13
Decatur	13	St. Louis University High	27
Decatur	6	Springfield	19
Decatur	25	Urbana	26
Decatur	19	Quincy	7
Decatur	32	Lanphier	0
Decatur	6	Peoria Manual	58

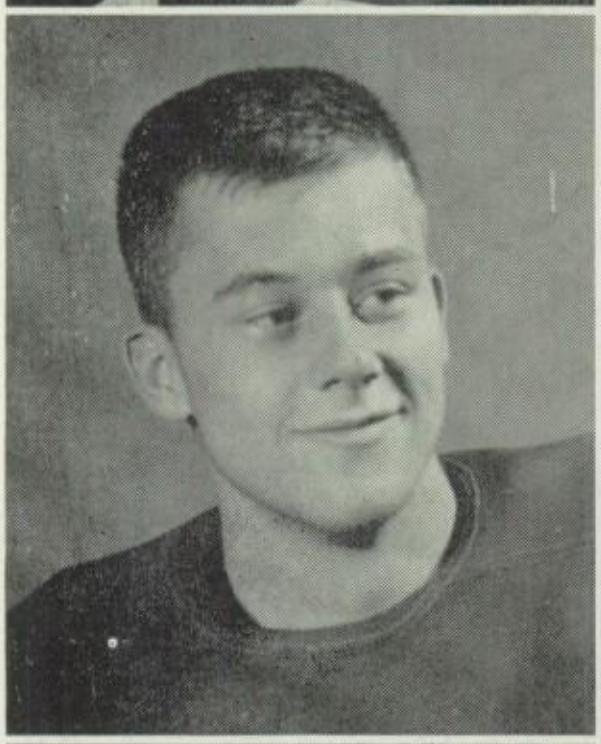
FOOTBALL 1950



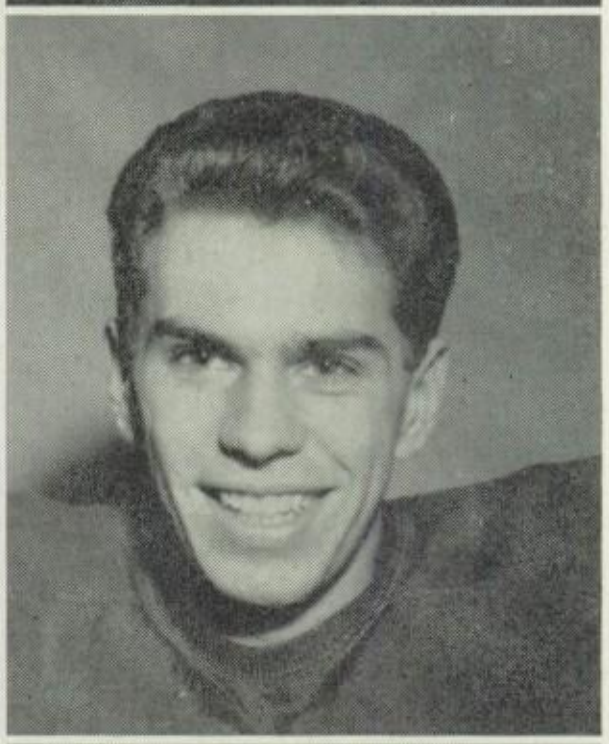
Bob Abbott
Quarterback



Harold Allen
Halfback



Calvin Askren
Fullback



Edgar Augustine
Guard

Byron Baker
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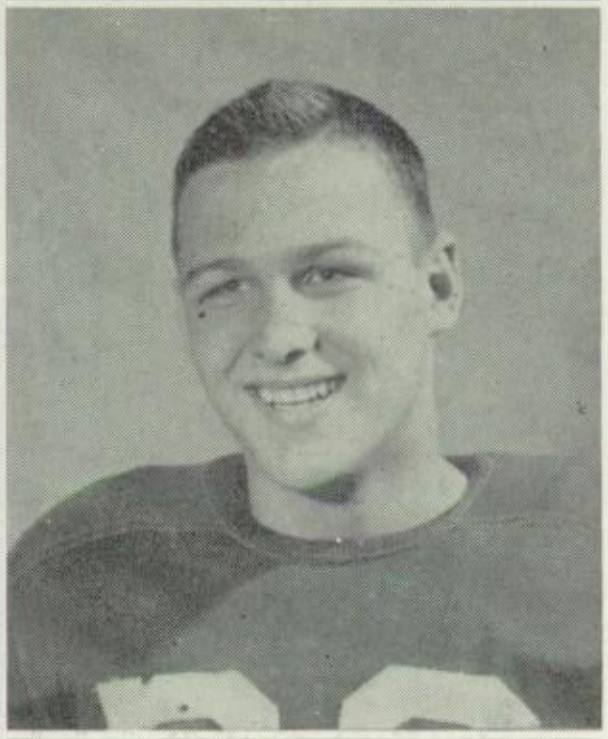

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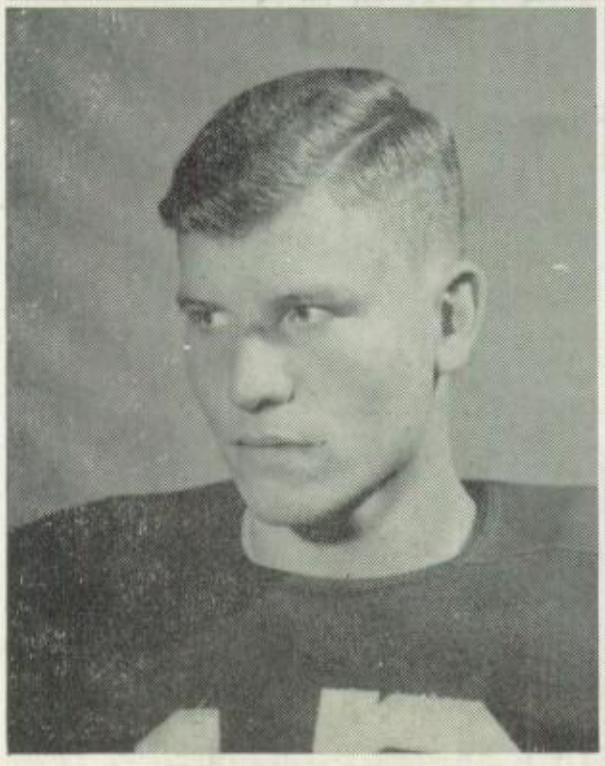

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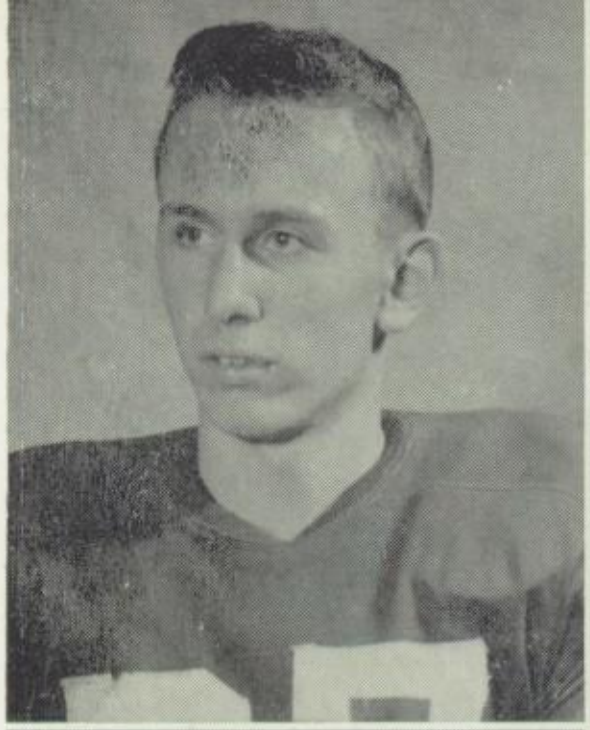

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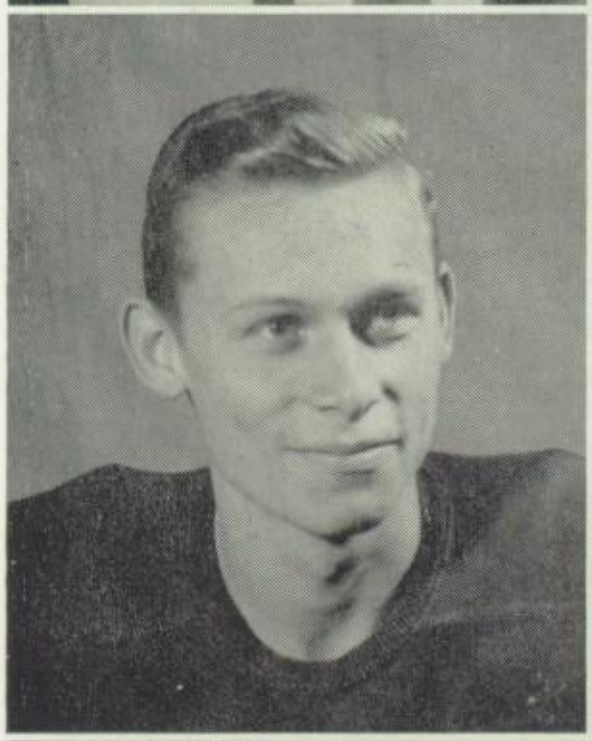

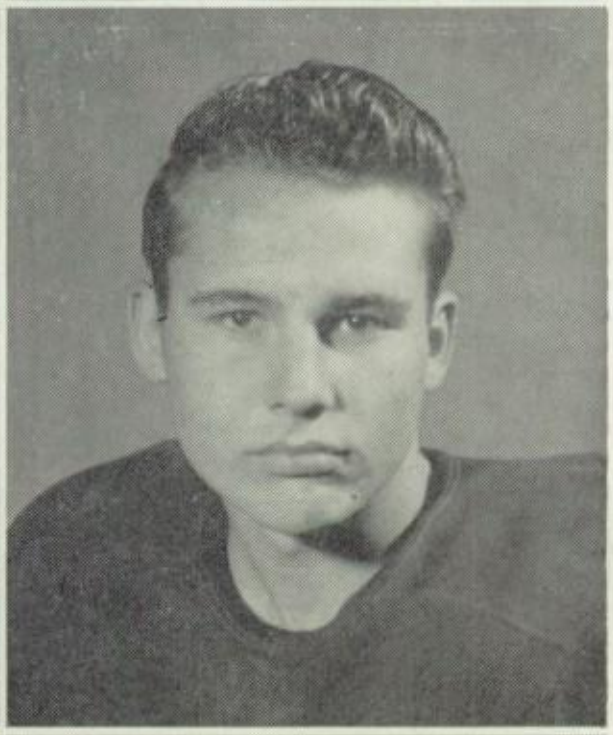

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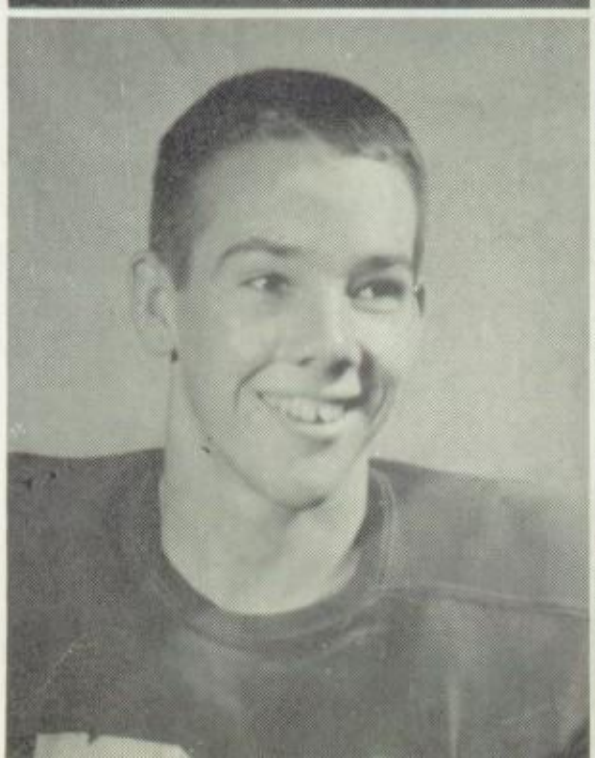

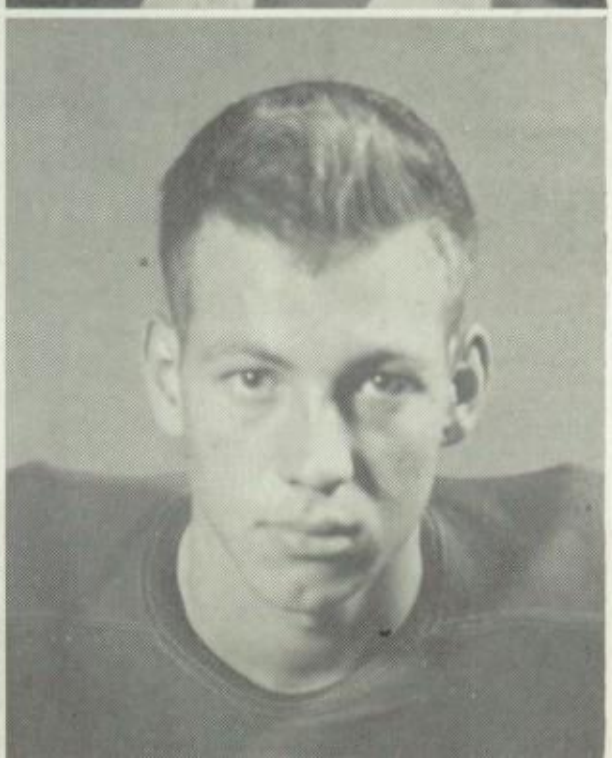

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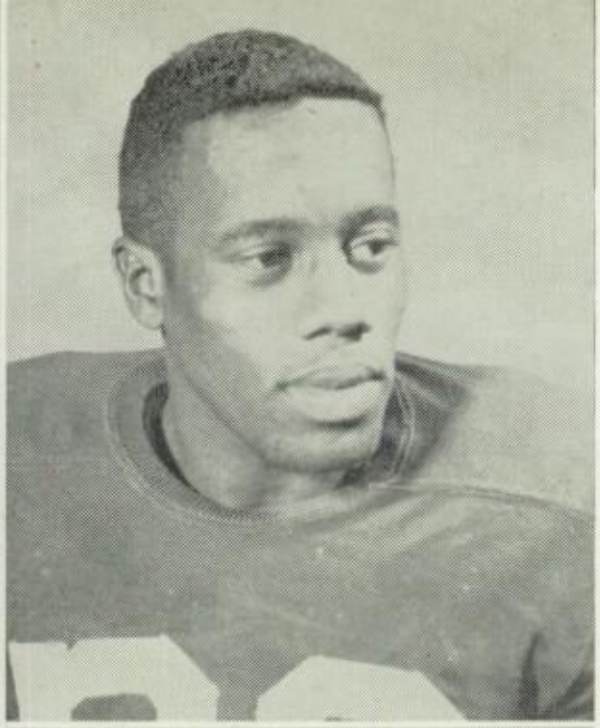

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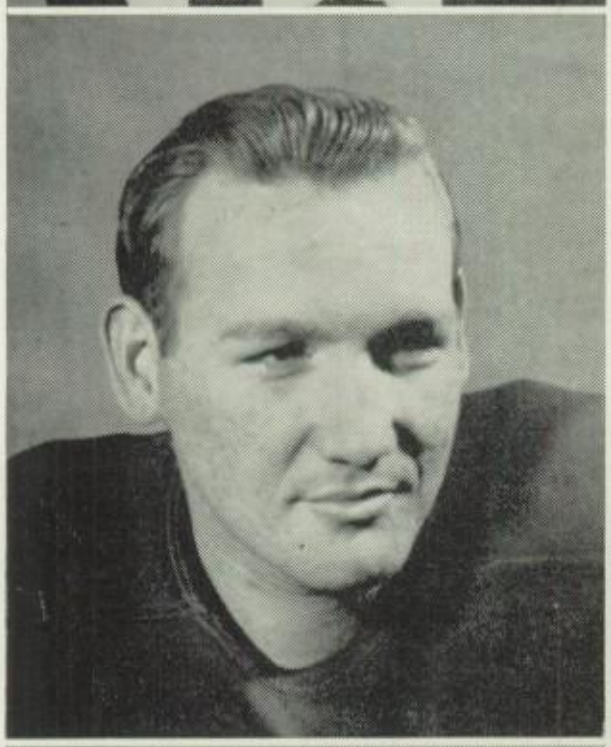

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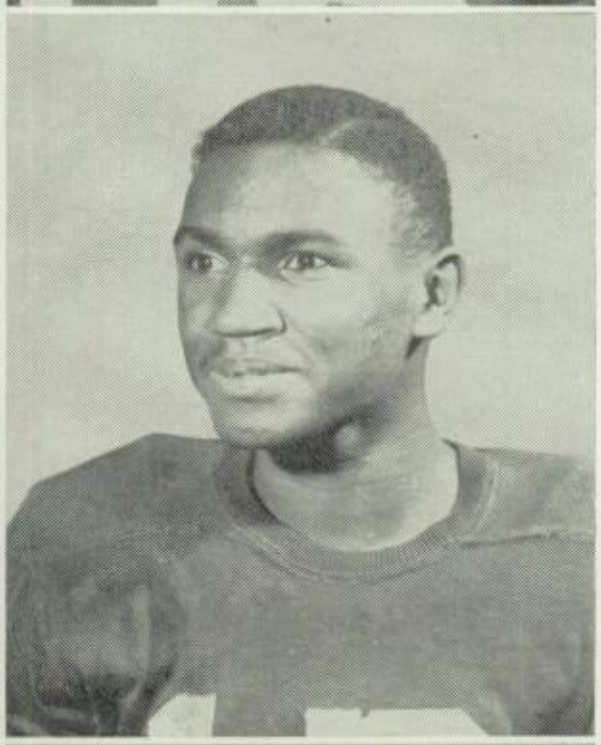

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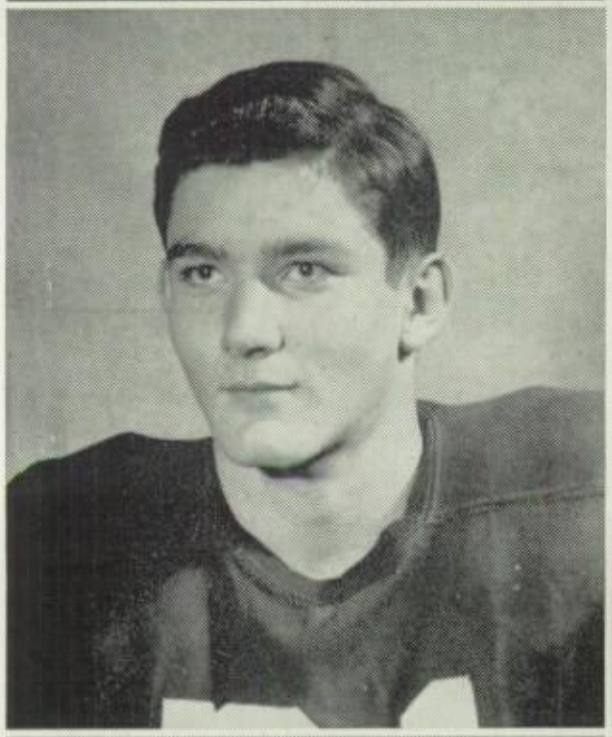

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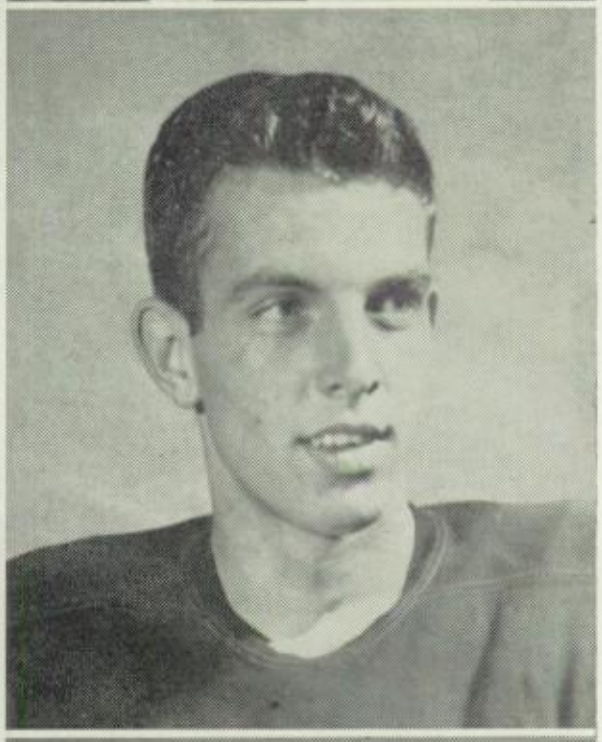

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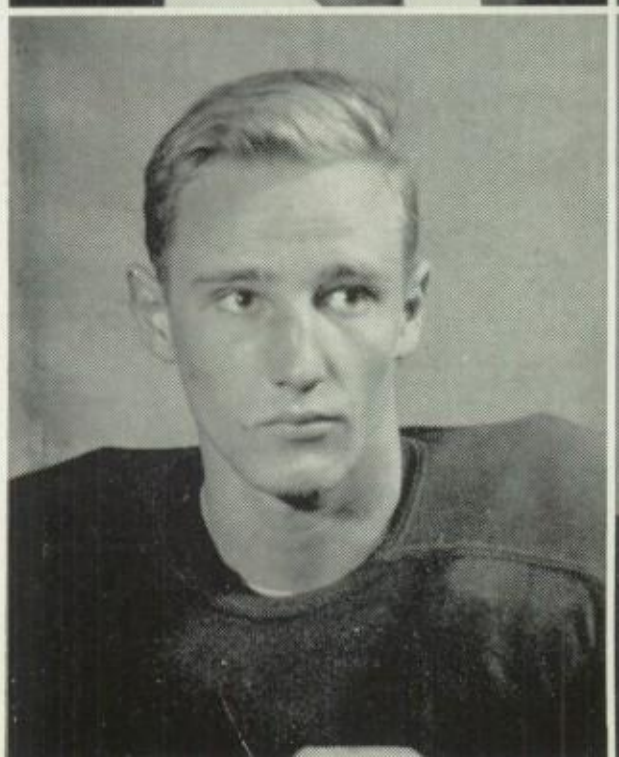

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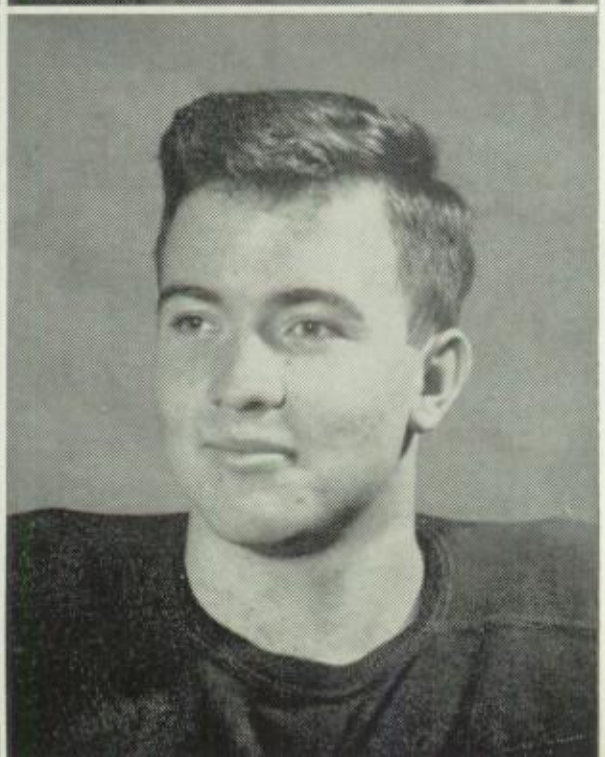

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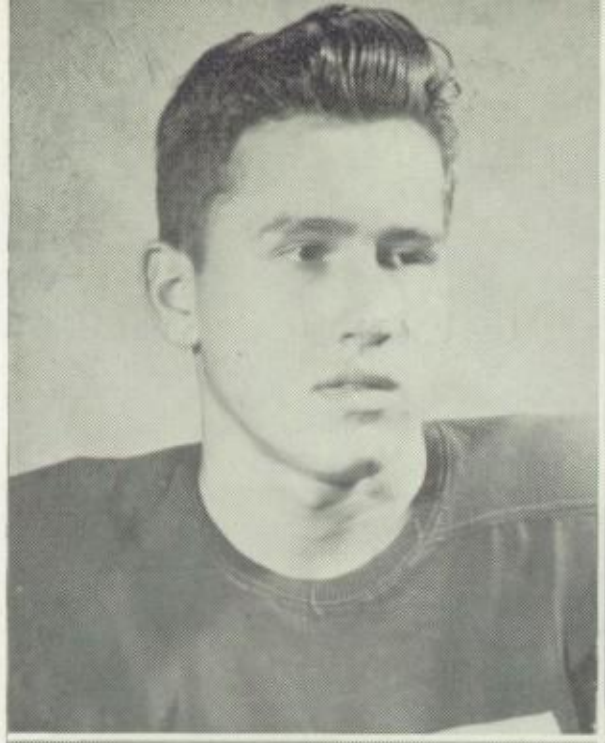

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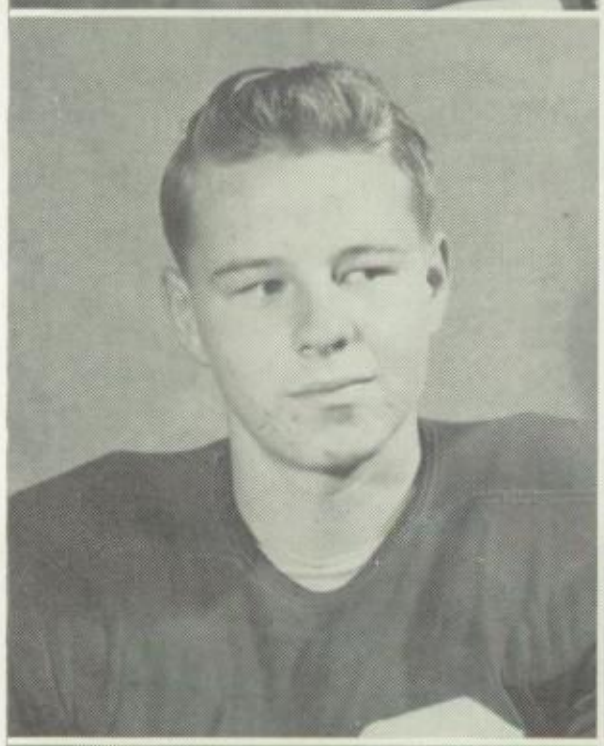

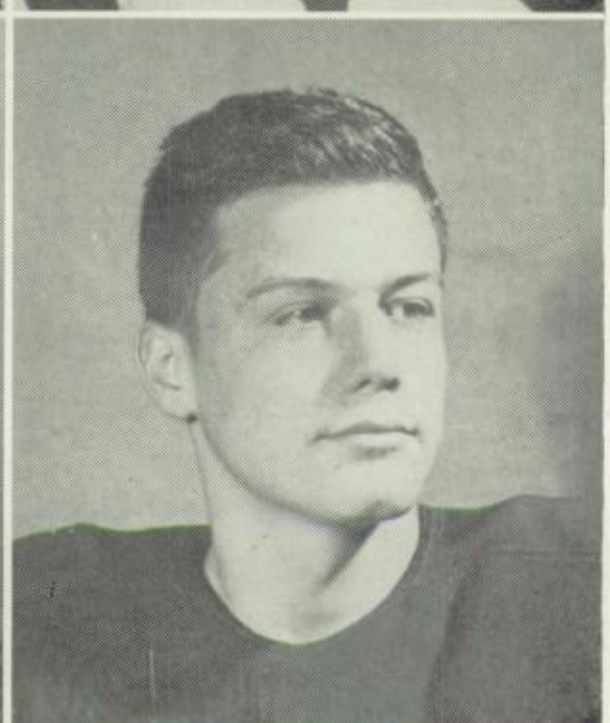

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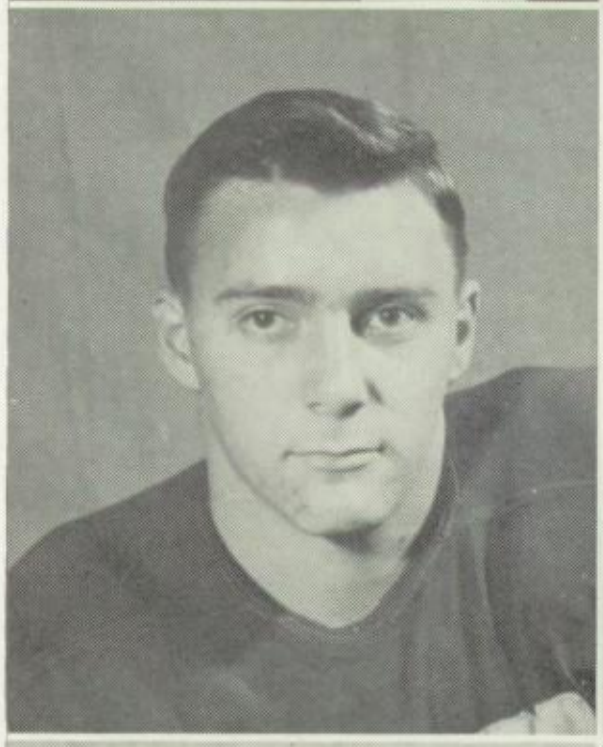

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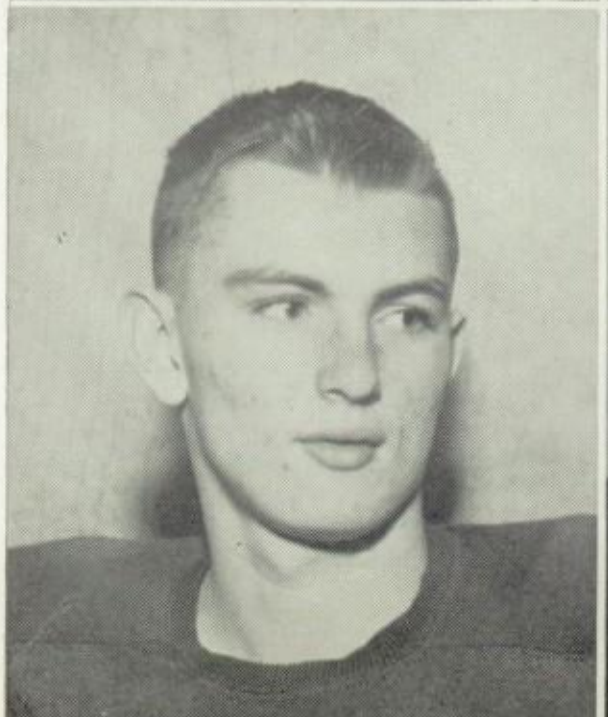

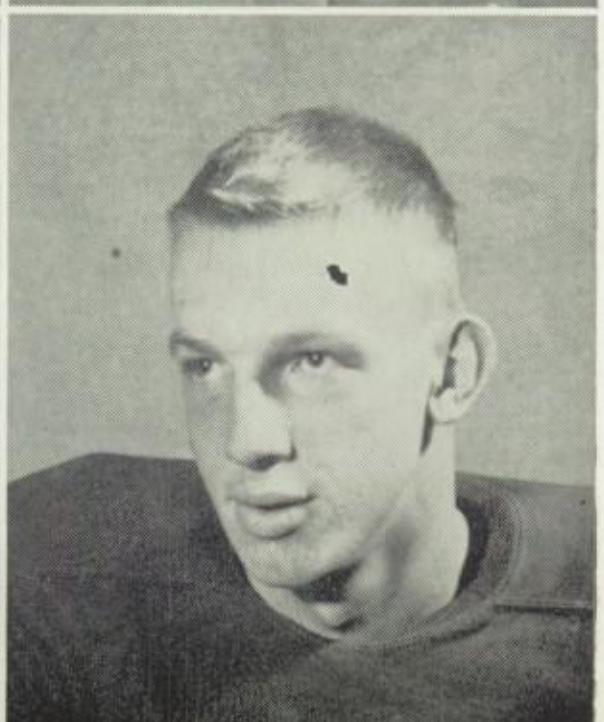

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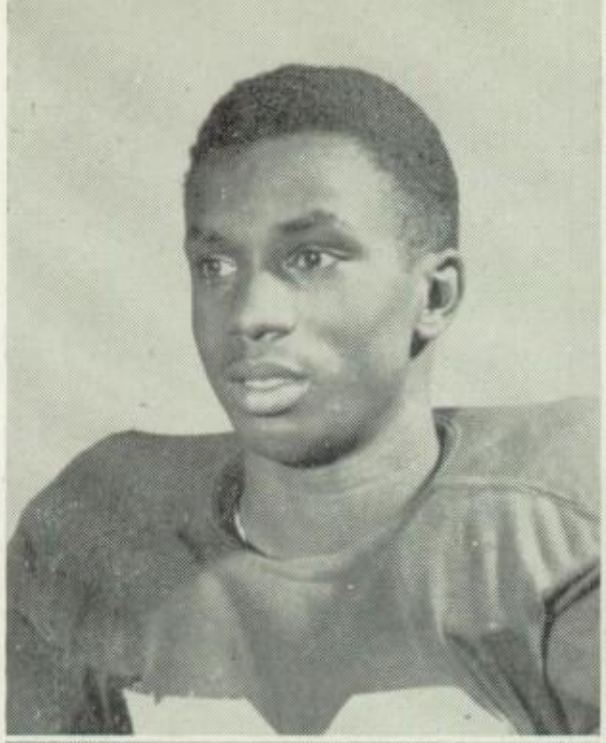

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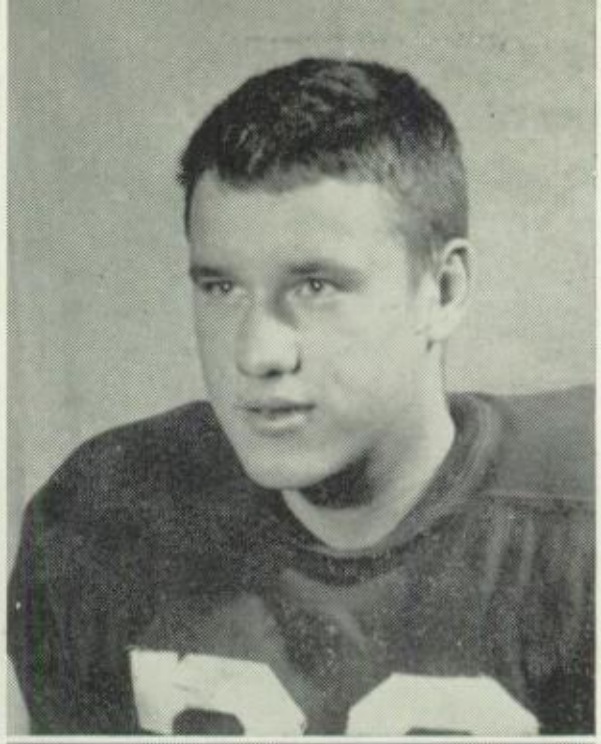

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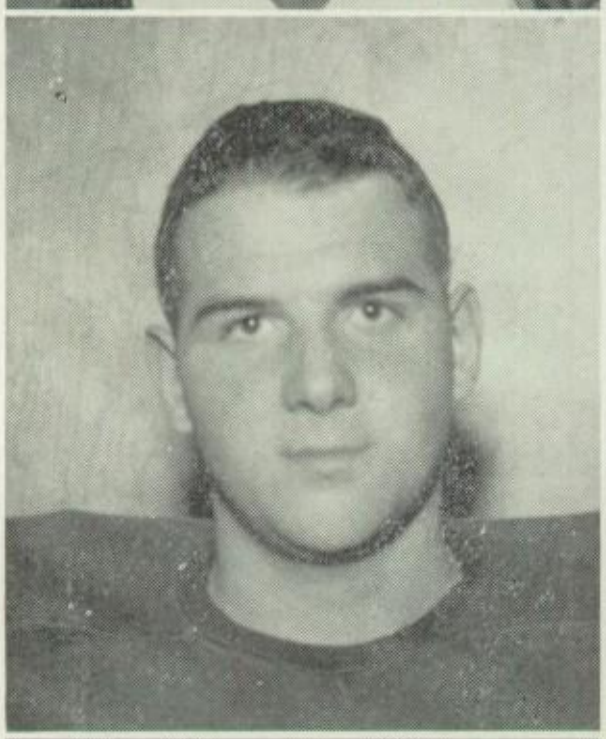

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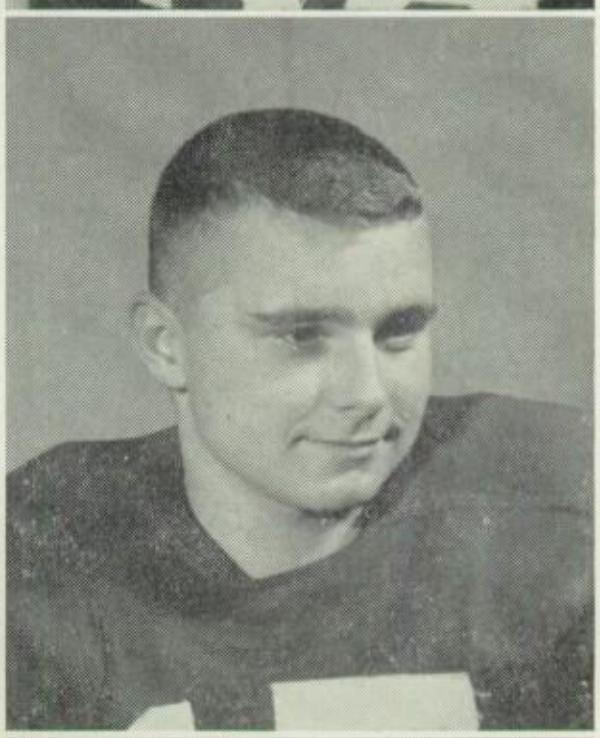

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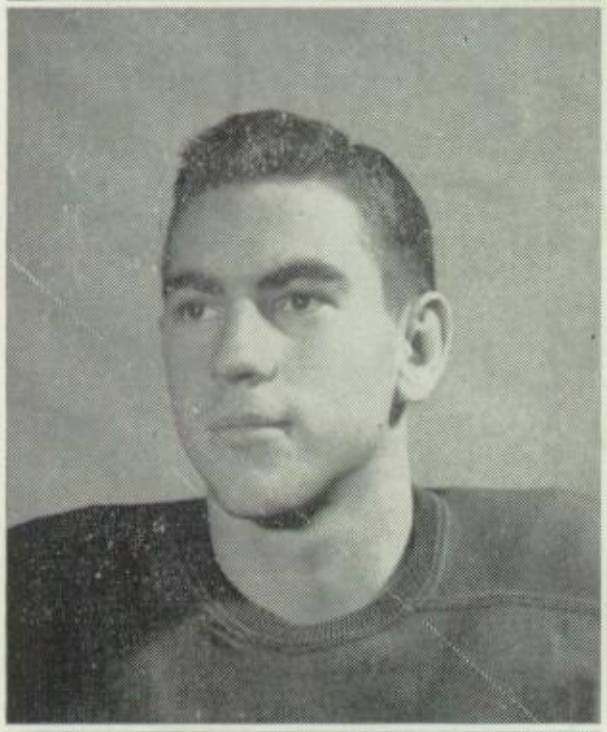

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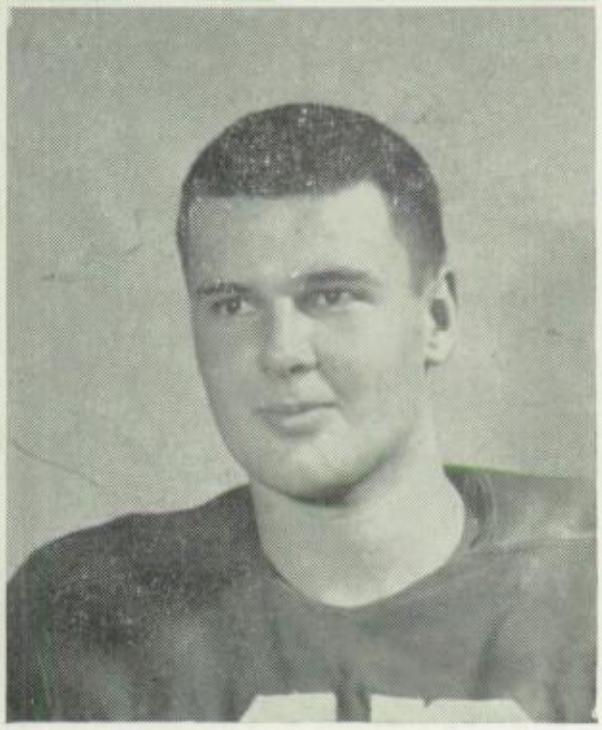

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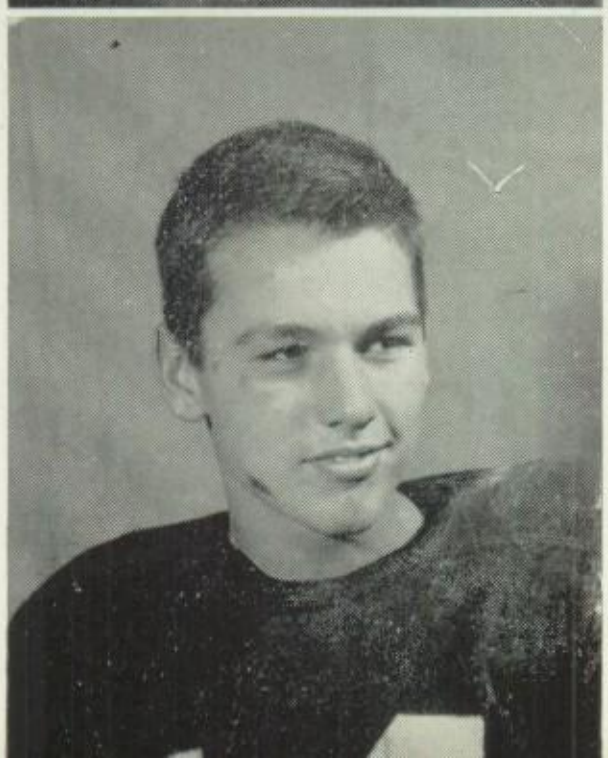

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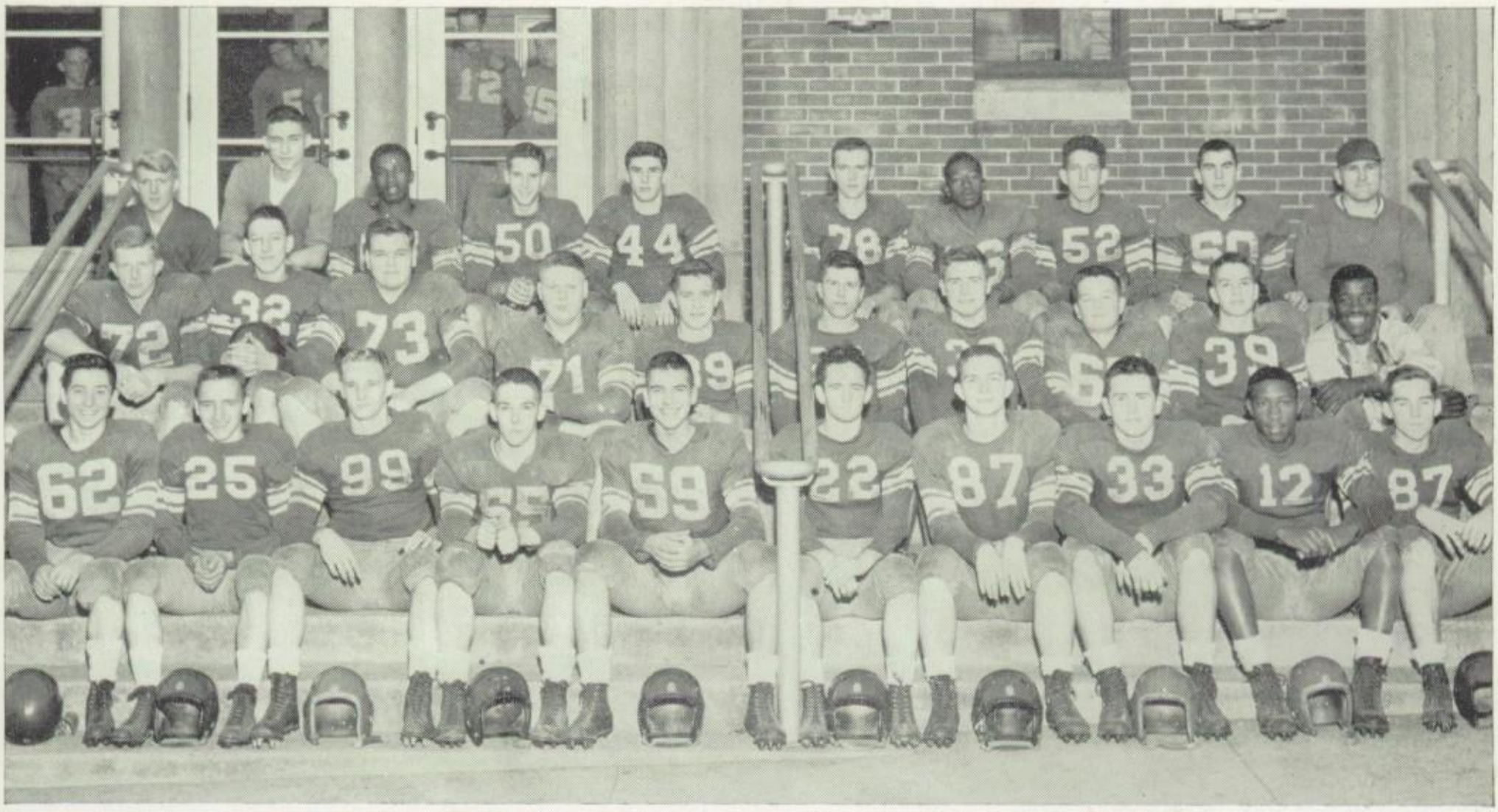

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Row 3: Carl Goldsborough, Dick Evans, Norman Slaw, Jerry Strongman, David Landram, Kirt Wilson, James Perry, Ernest Barnes, Jim Van Meter, Mr. Batthauer, Coach.

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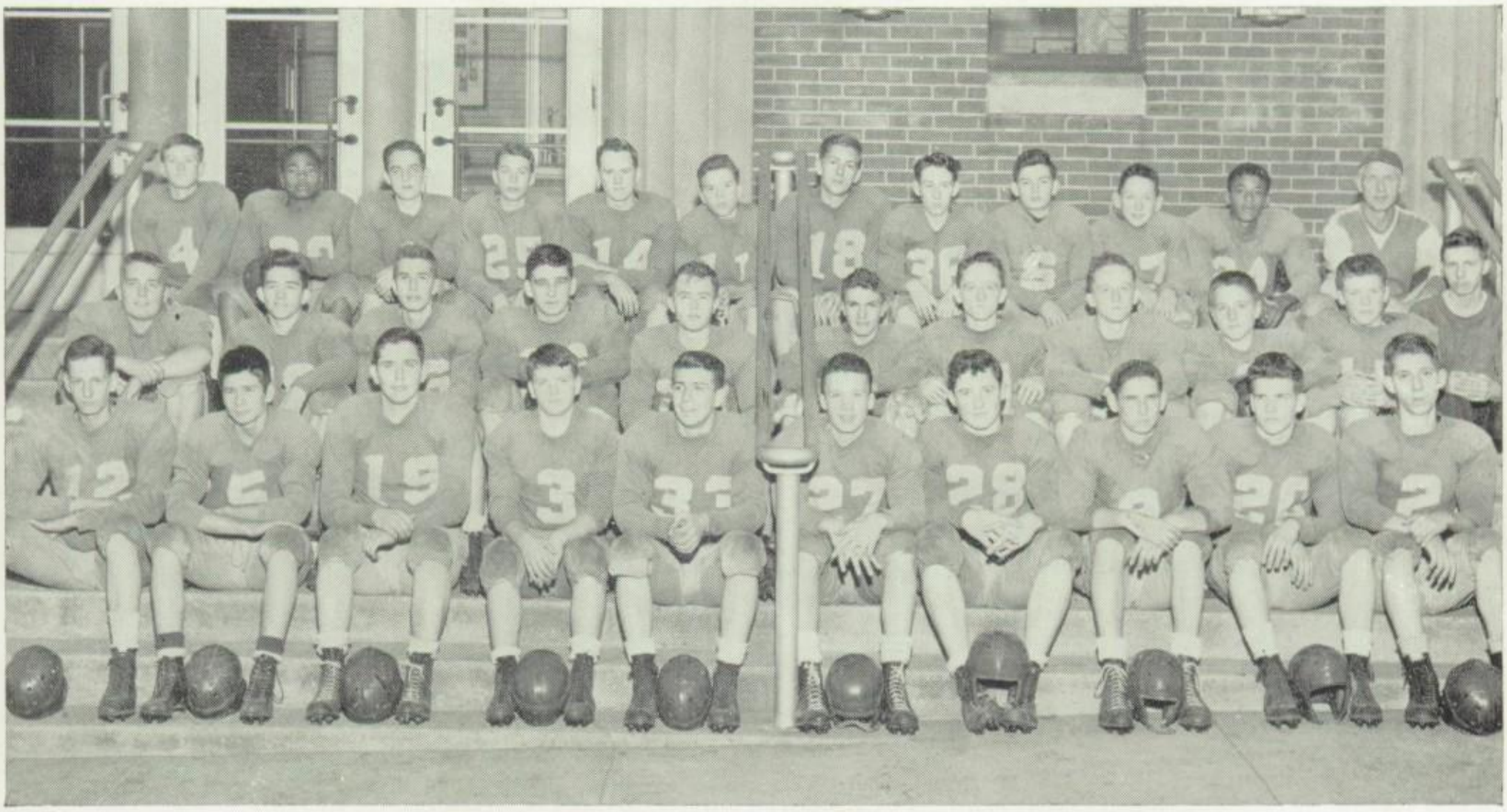

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Row 2: Robert Cassidy, Dick Ford, Larry Coffey, Ron Wisher, Jim Gillespie, Bob Pryce, Ralph Harris, John Harris, Bill McCarty, Tom Taylor, Jerry Kitchell, Manager.

Row 3: Leslie Shaw, James Lee, Bill Van Law, Gerald Burns, Jim Schooley, Dave Martin, Albert Allen, Cliff McDuffie, Bill Beatty, Dave Larson, Richard Robbins, Mr. Galbreath, Coach.
Frank Rozelle absent when picture was taken.

Galen Kintner
Assistant Director of Athletics

Gay Kintner
Director of Athletics
Basketball Coach

Dick Evans
John Henderson
Managers

BASKETBALL 1950-1951

The Decatur High School basketball team known as the "Decatur Reds" had a very successful season. They were Big 12 conference co-champions with Lincoln, each winning eleven games and losing one. Decatur also placed fourth in the state tournament out of 756 competing teams.

Ken Norman led the team's scoring for the season with a 14.4 point average per game, and was closely followed by Karl Meurlot with an average of 14 points. Ken Norman with a total of 79 points in 4 games was also high scorer in the 16 team state final tournament at Champaign.

There will be six lettermen returning next year and we may look forward to another very successful season.

BASKETBALL SCORES

Jacksonville	36	Decatur	42
Hinsdale	43	Decatur	51
Bloomington	26	Decatur	72
Quincy	54	Decatur	47
Urbana	51	Decatur	56
Danville	48	Decatur	62
University City	54	Decatur	55
East St. Louis	69	Decatur	52
West Rockford	53	Decatur	47
East Rockford	65	Decatur	56
Springfield	41	Decatur	50
Mattoon	42	Decatur	56
Champaign	60	Decatur	75
Elgin	57	Decatur	53
Canton	49	Decatur	42
Moline	60	Decatur	55
St. Teresa	29	Decatur	80
Bloomington	42	Decatur	51
Mattoon	54	Decatur	64
Springfield	56	Decatur	52
Peoria Central	55	Decatur	62
Mooseheart	40	Decatur	60
Urbana	47	Decatur	66

REGIONAL TOURNAMENT

Warrensburg-Latham	47	Decatur	62
Niantic	48	Decatur	59
Cerro Gordo	45	Decatur	68

SECTIONAL TOURNAMENT

Taylorville	48	Decatur	61
Argenta	57	Decatur	73

STATE TOURNAMENT

Danville	58	Decatur	68
Peoria-Woodruff	50	Decatur	73
Freeport	88	Decatur	60
Quincy	60	Decatur	58

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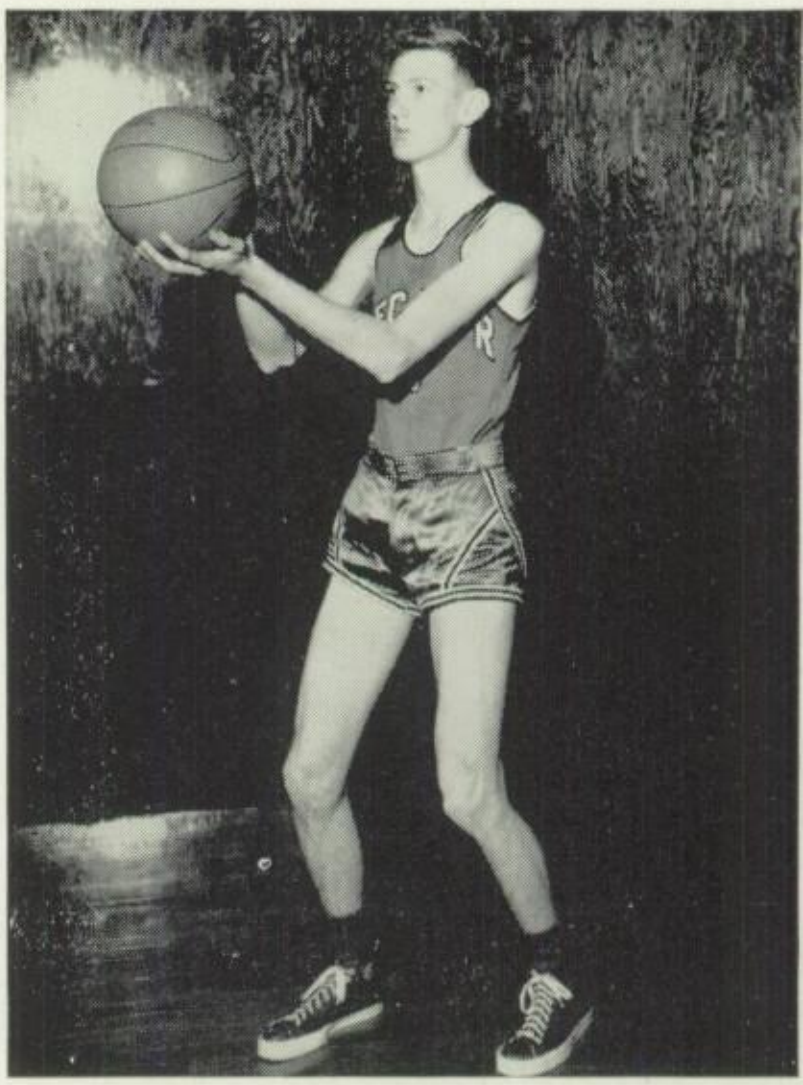
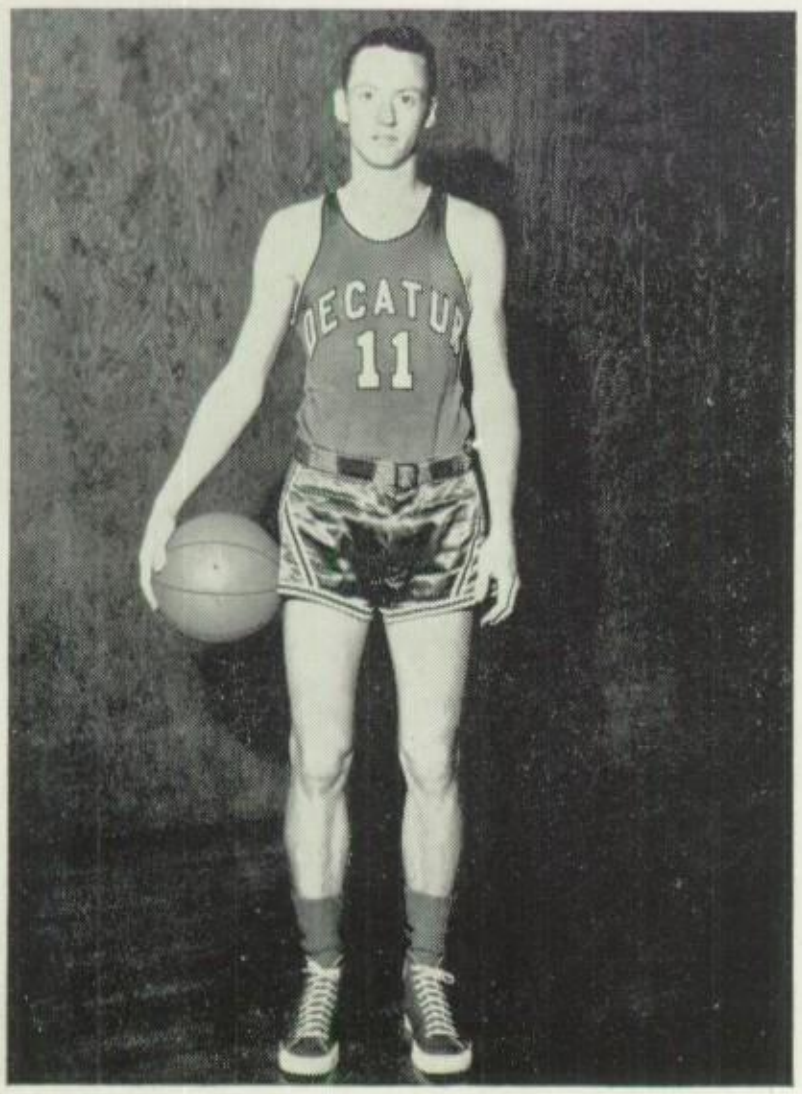


James Alderson

BASKET 1951 BALL



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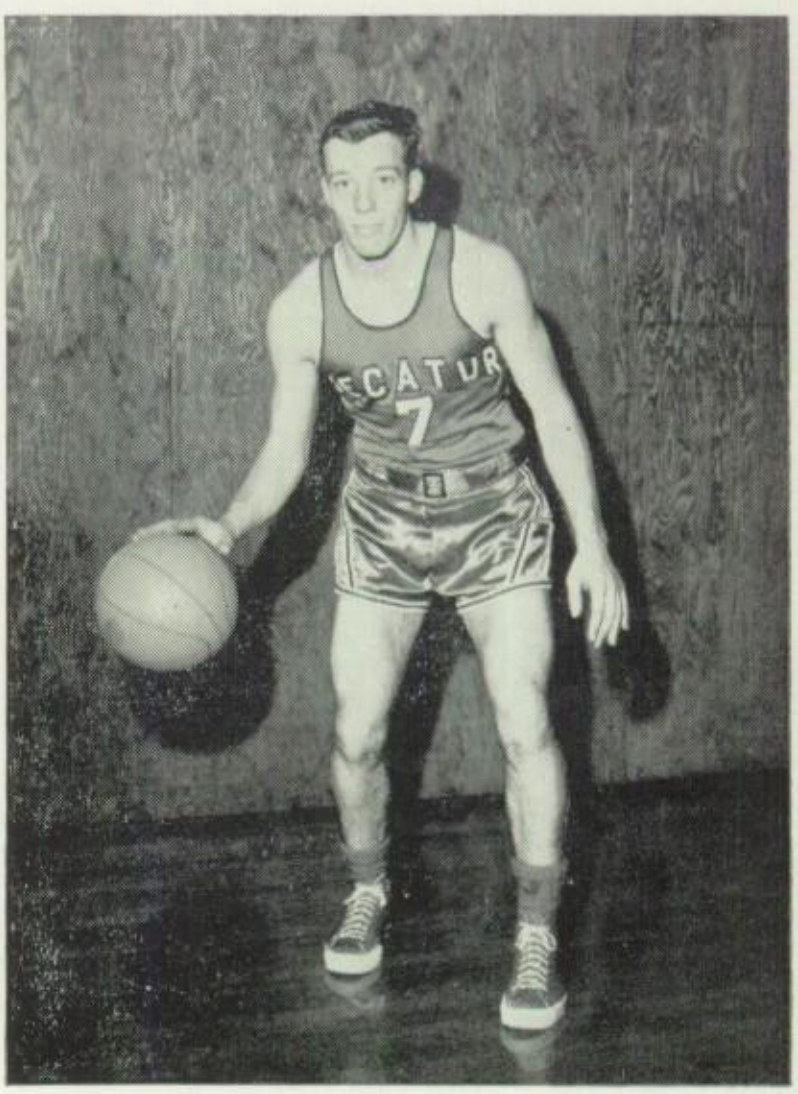

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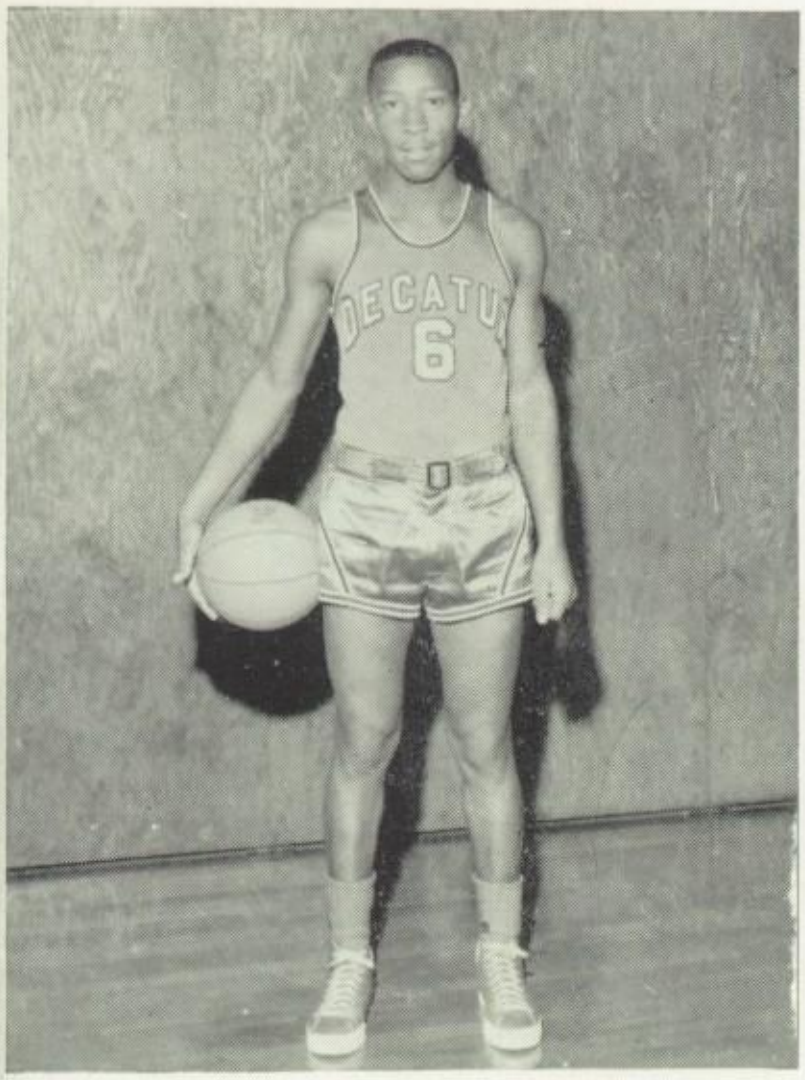

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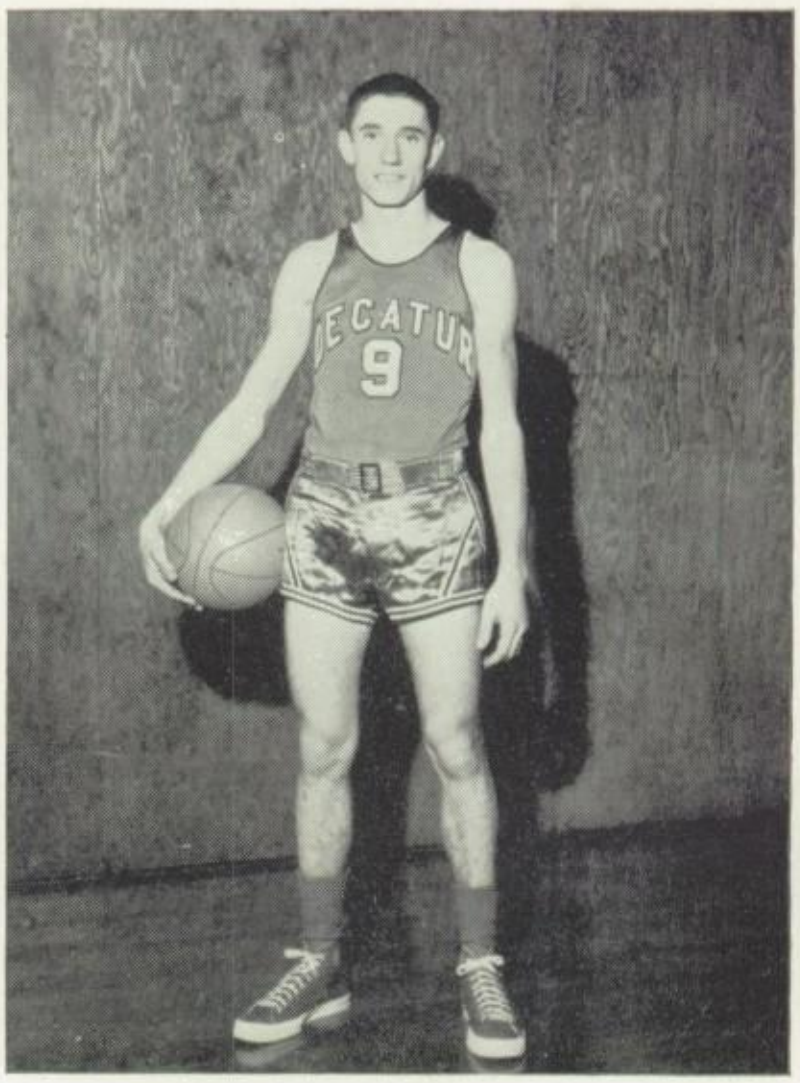

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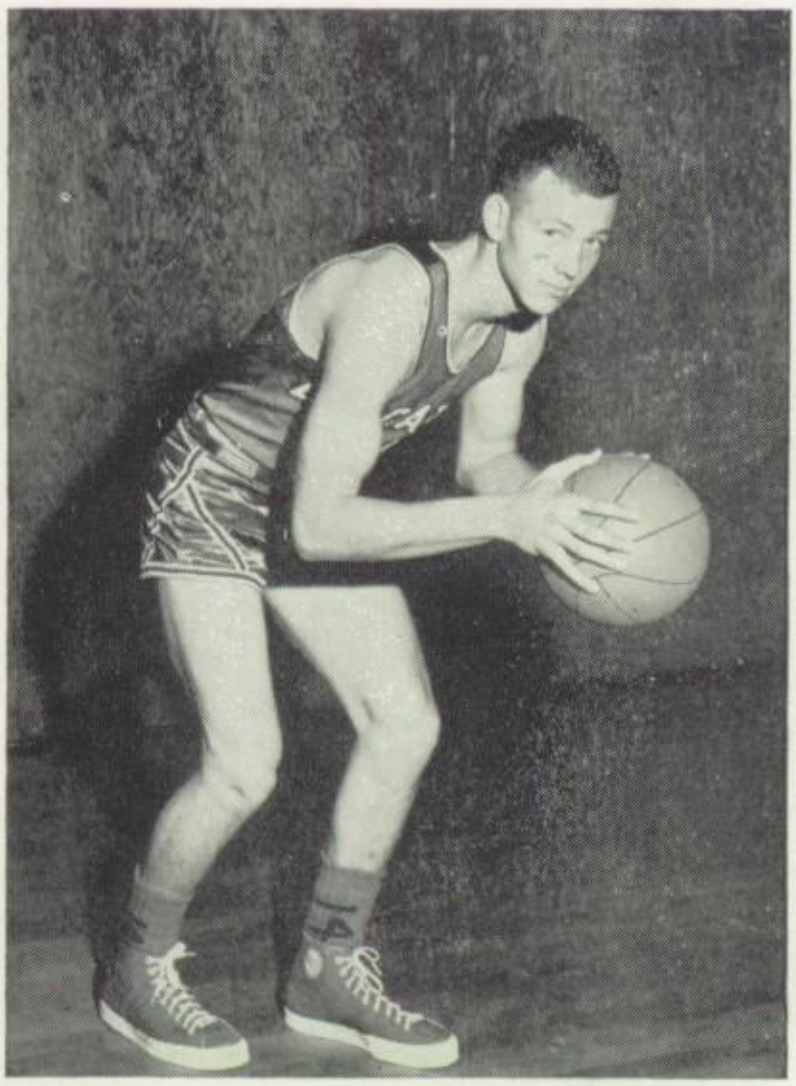

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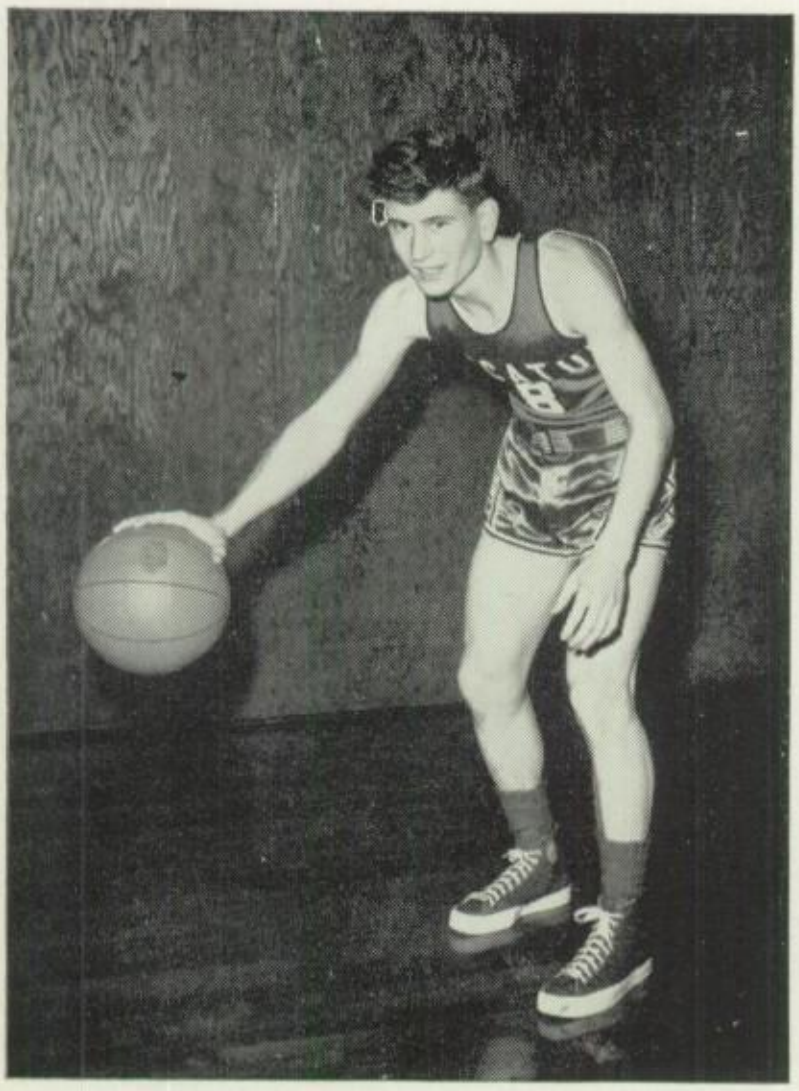

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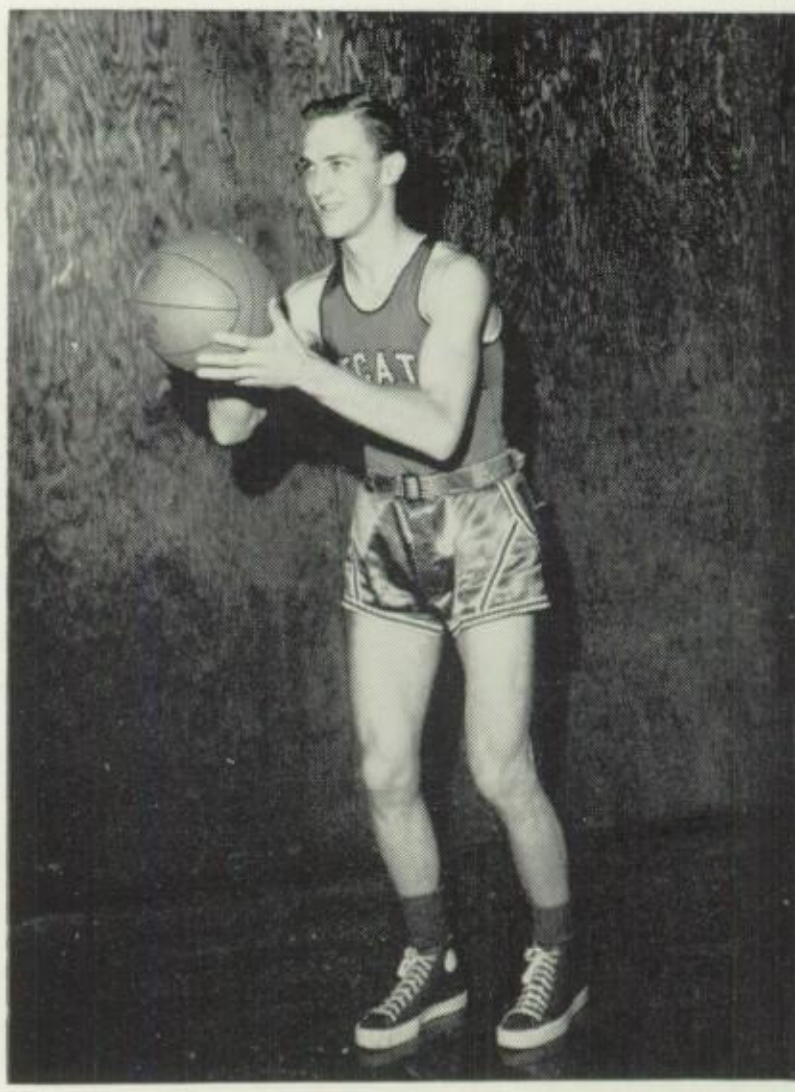
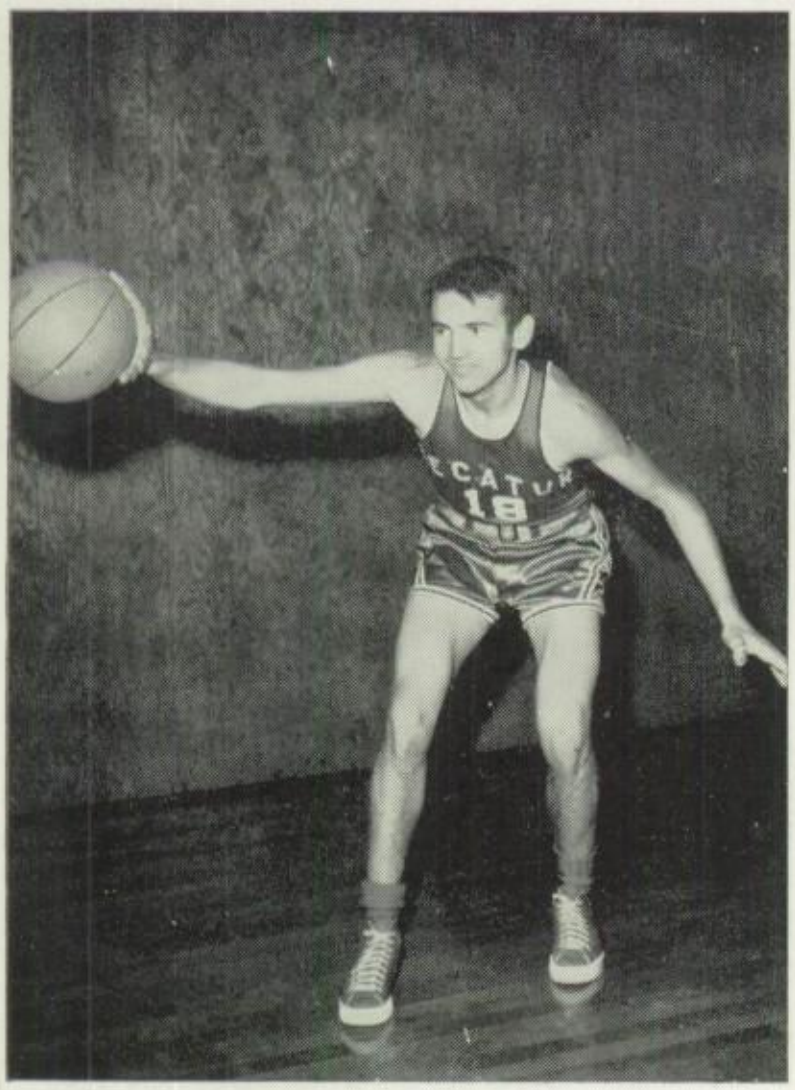


Karl Meurlot

BASKET 1951 BALL



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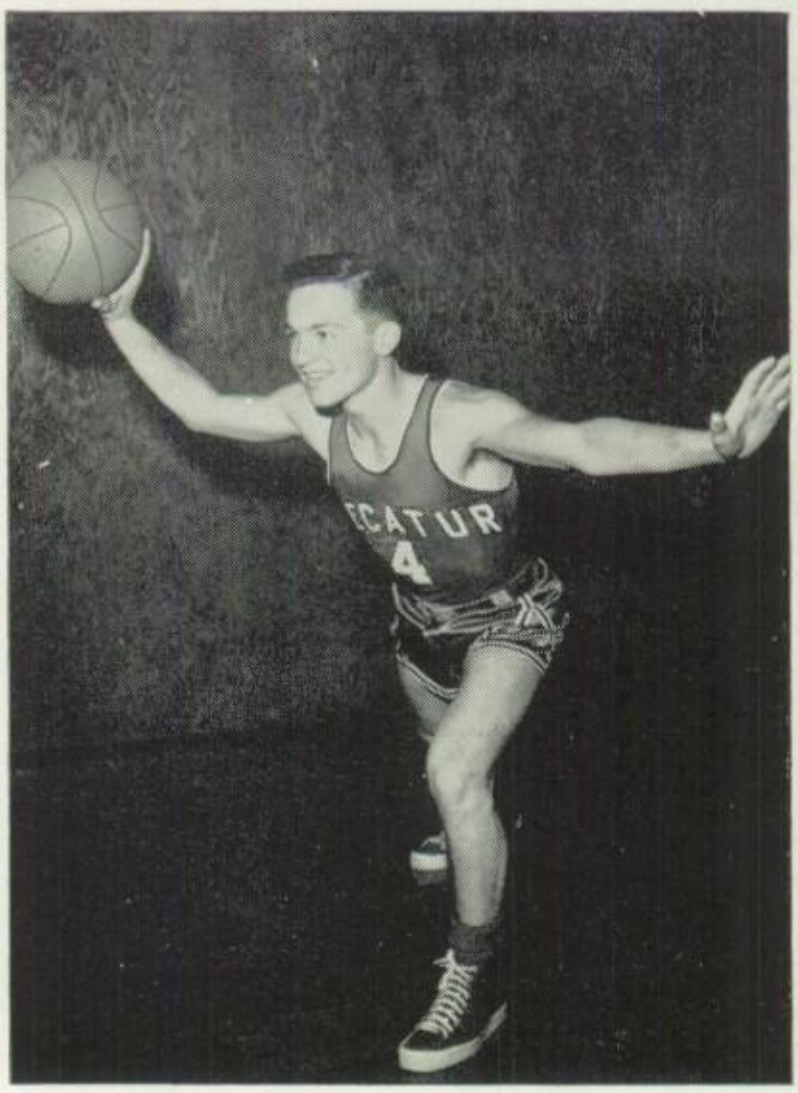

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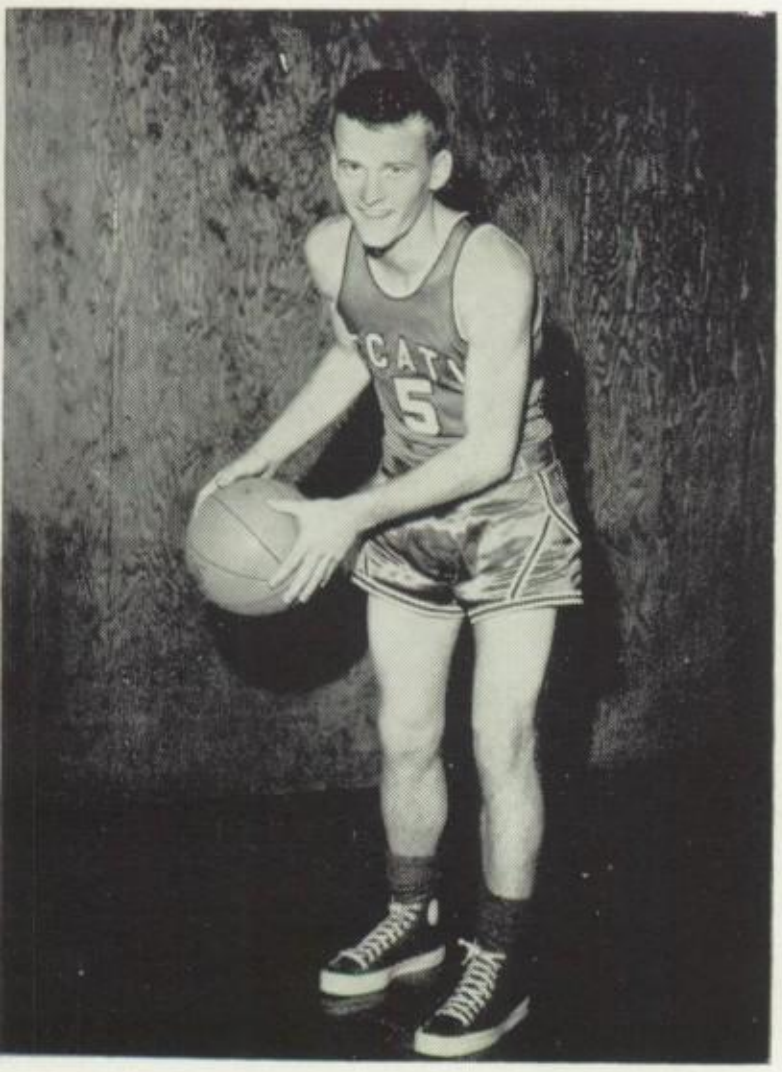

Stanley Poland

Keith Shildneck

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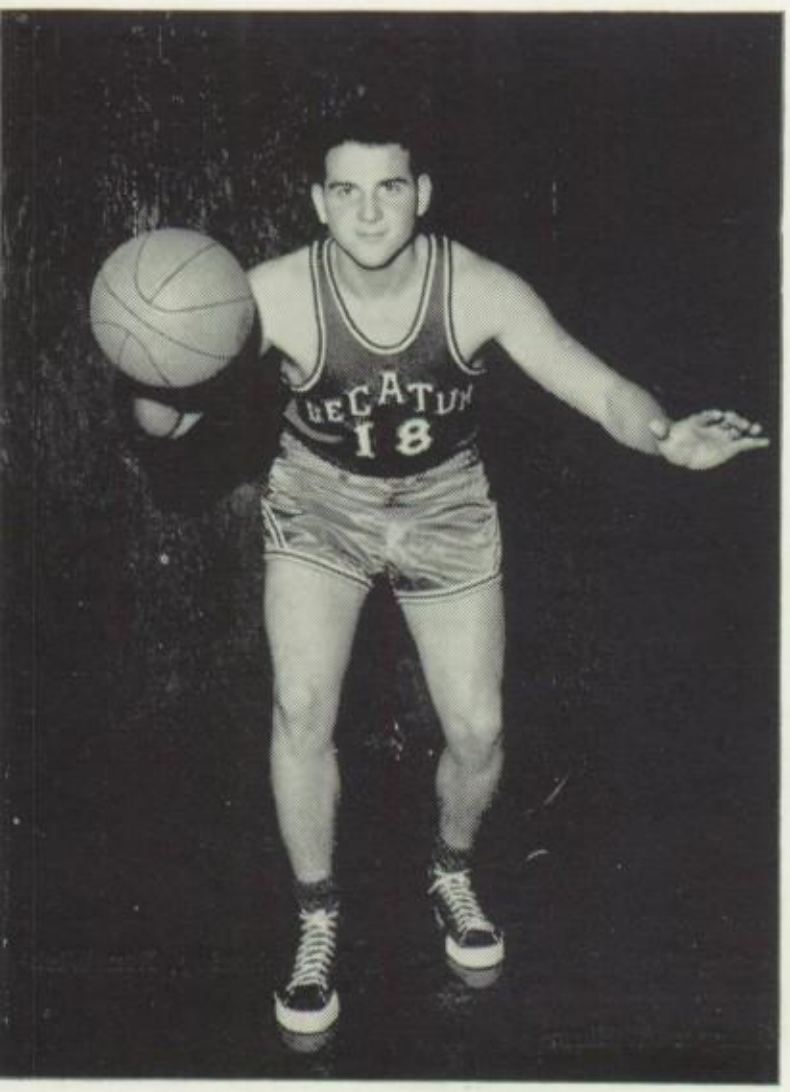

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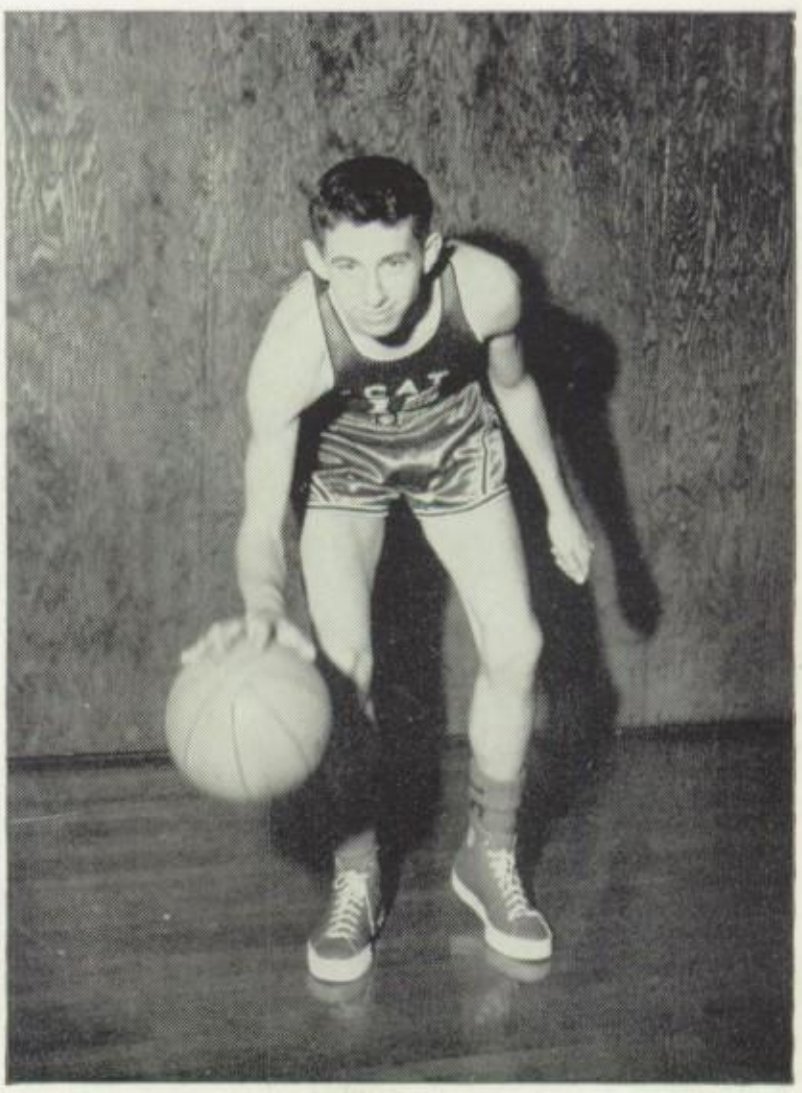

Lee Utt

B SQUAD

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Row 2: John Henigman, Gerald Strongman, Kirt Wilson, Joe Fowler, James Perry, Carl Sanders.

Row 3: Marvin Oglesby, Ronald Poland, Manager John Henderson, Coach Galen Kintner.

C SQUAD

Row 1: Richard Shade, Don Resler, Eddie Beck, Larry Coffey, Loyal Belton, Charles Behrends, Tom Taylor.

Row 2: Bud Gentry, Norin Foster, Don Kraft, Jim Schooley, Ron Wisher, Rollin Tolliver, Don Holler, Bill Schnittker.

Row 3: Dave Adkins, William Davis, Rex Spires, Manager William Morenz, Coach Galen Kintner.

TRACK LETTERMEN

In Front: Edgar Augustine.

Row 1: Laudell Jackson, Harold Allen, Dan Van Meter, Jim Van Meter, Bill Ferral.

Row 2: Lloyd Farris, Calvin Askren, David Miller, Don Simroth, Norman Slaw.

As the yearbook goes to press the D. H. S. Track Team has won its third straight Big Twelve Track Championship.

TRACK SQUAD

TENNIS

Row 1: Allyn Kent, Rodger Quigle, Harold Stafford, Roger Bielefeld, Tom Smiley, Don Kull, Bill Beeman, Dean McMillen.

Row 2: Mr. Nelson, John Dymond, Don Rainwater, "C. J." Fields, Davis Whitten, Keith Shildneck, Jim Cox, Jerry Strongman.

GOLF

Row 1: Marvin Oglesby, Lynn Braden, Ronald Hoffman, Gary Six, John Groo, Robert Corrington, Richard Allinson, Dean Cuttill.

Row 2: Mr. Kohr (Coach), Kirt Wilson, Richard McDonald, Bill Dean, Ronald Holmes, Ken Irwin, Fred Rendfeld, Robert Abbott, Ronald Poland, Mayer Hecht, Dick Arnold.

BASEBALL

As the yearbook goes to press, the D. H. S. Nine has qualified to enter the State Finals, having won the District and Sectional Championships.

(Left section)

Row 1: Karl Meurlot, Gary Bradshaw, Bob Badorek, Dick Potratka.

Row 2: Jim Olivero, Lee Utt, Gerry Berry, Jerry Grieve.

Row 3: Don Drake, Jack Tosh, Chan Bell.

(Right section)

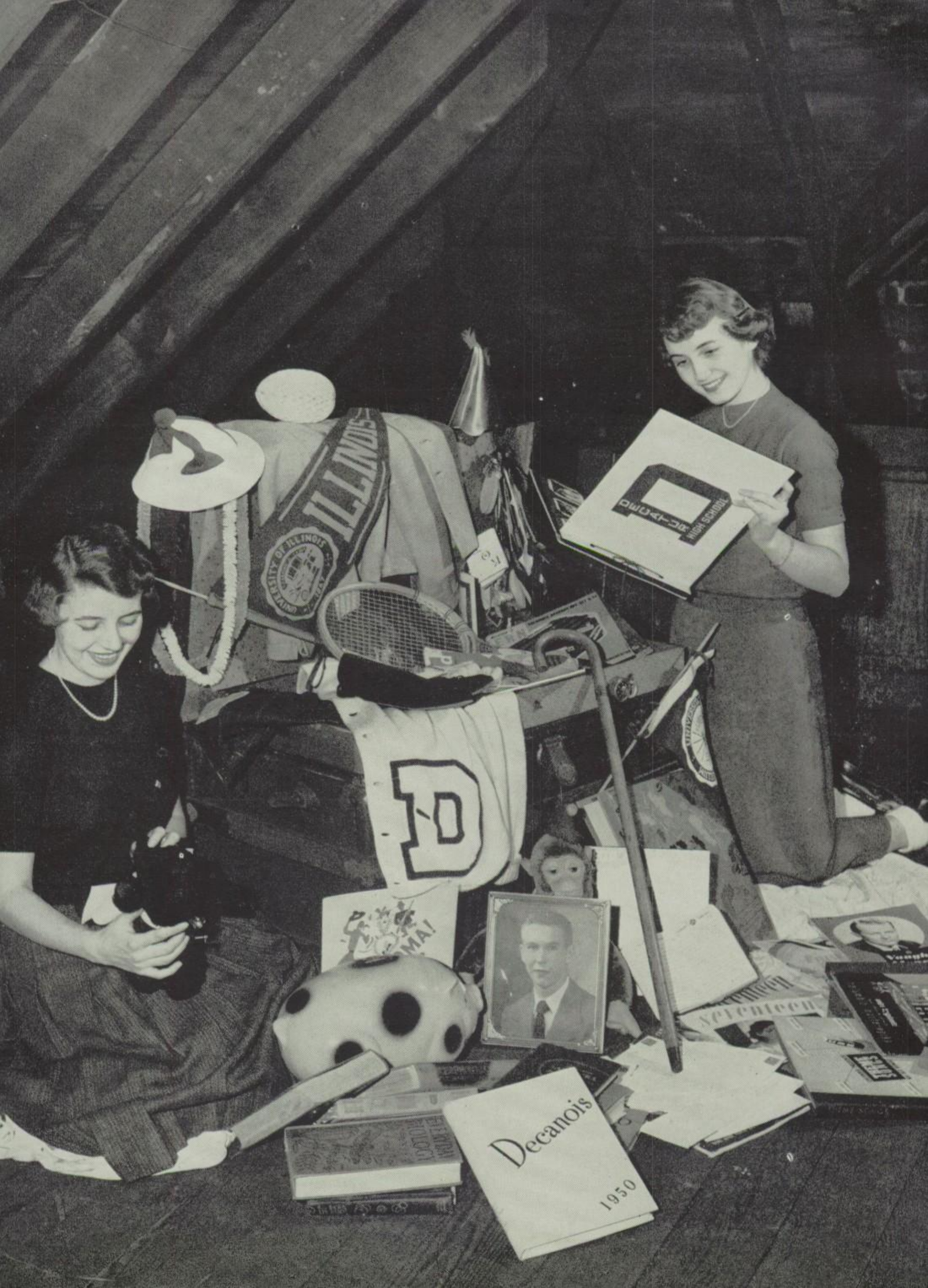
Row 1: Sam Roller, Ches Glover, D. G. Miller, Byron Baker.

Row 2: Tom Murphy, Jim Johnson, Jim Harris.

Row 3: Stan Poland, Charles Schultz (Manager), C. C. Galbreath (Coach).

MEMORY LANE

"Among My Souvenirs"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Guys, Guys, Guys

"Lovely Way To Spend An Evening"

"Oh, What It Seemed To Be"

"That Old Gang Of Mine"

"Beg Your Pardon"

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Gals, Gals, Gals

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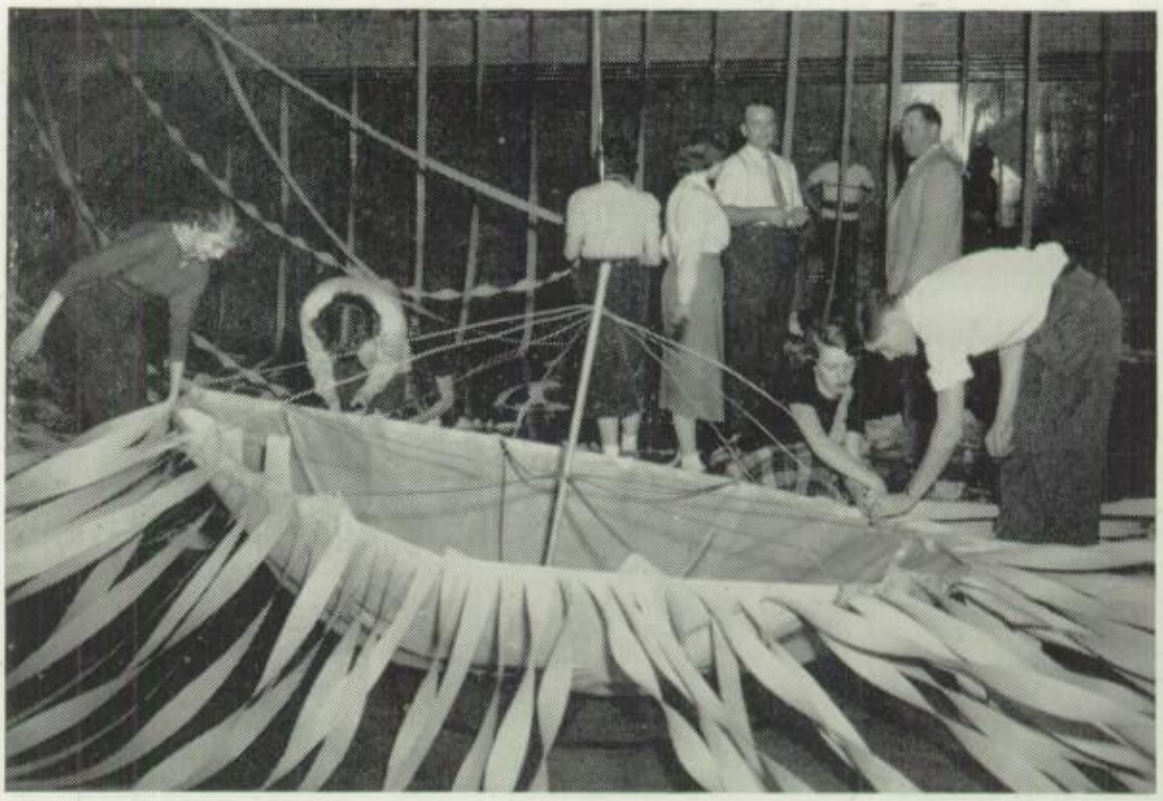

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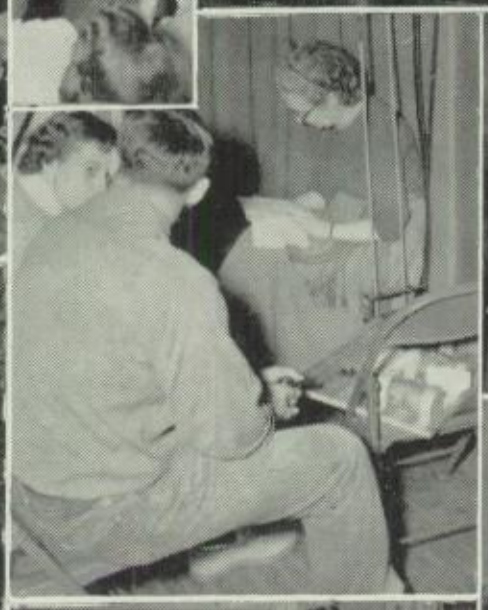

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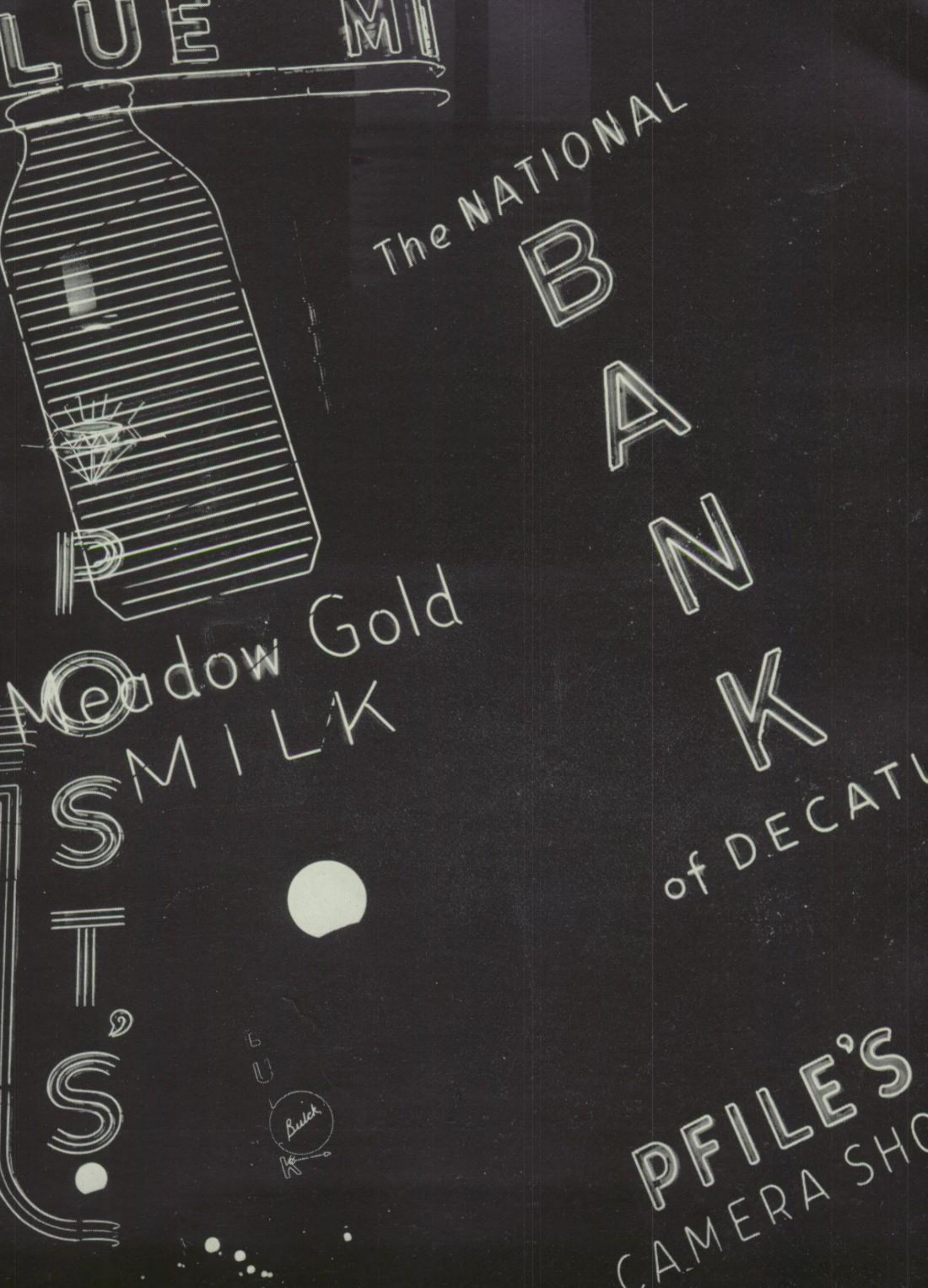
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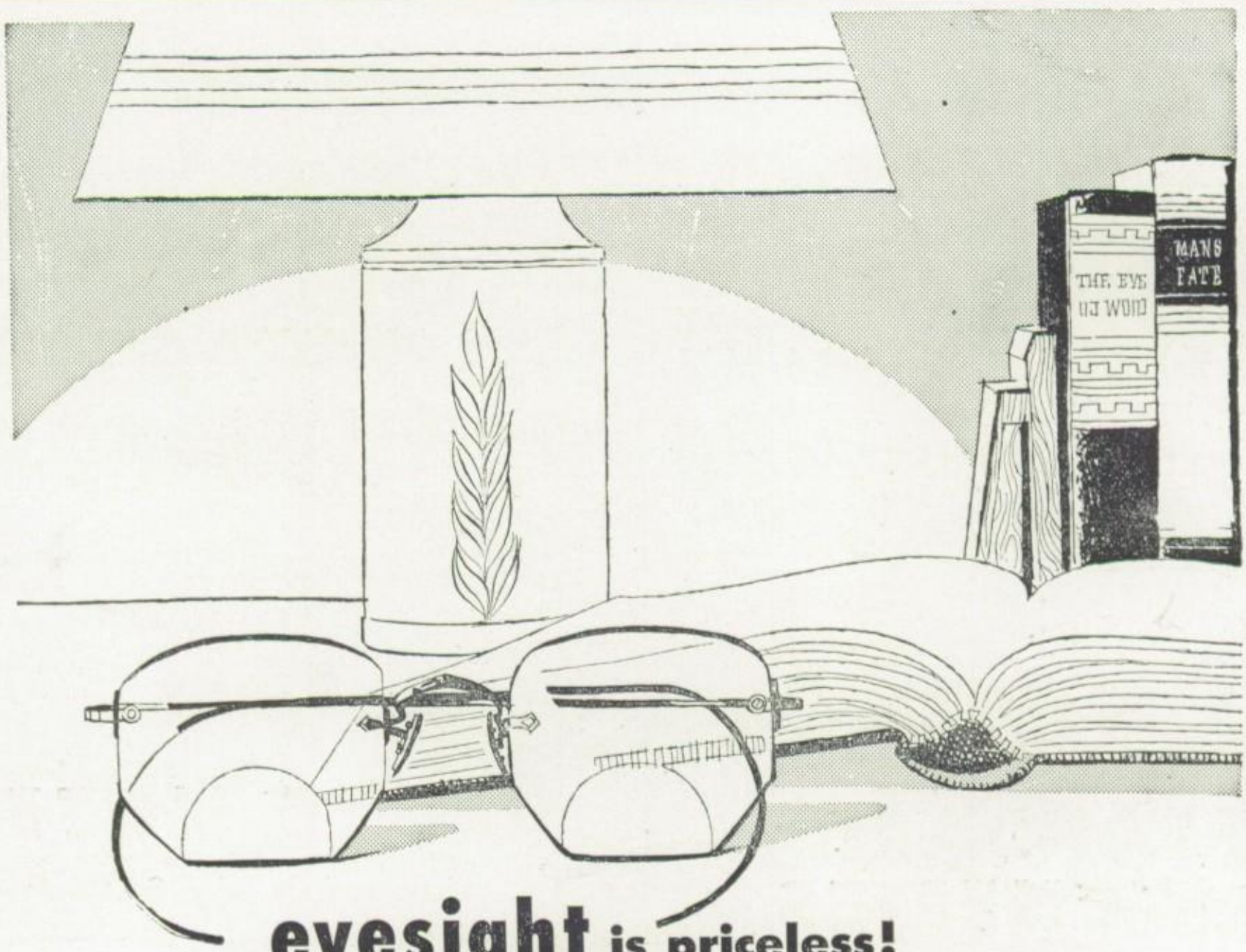

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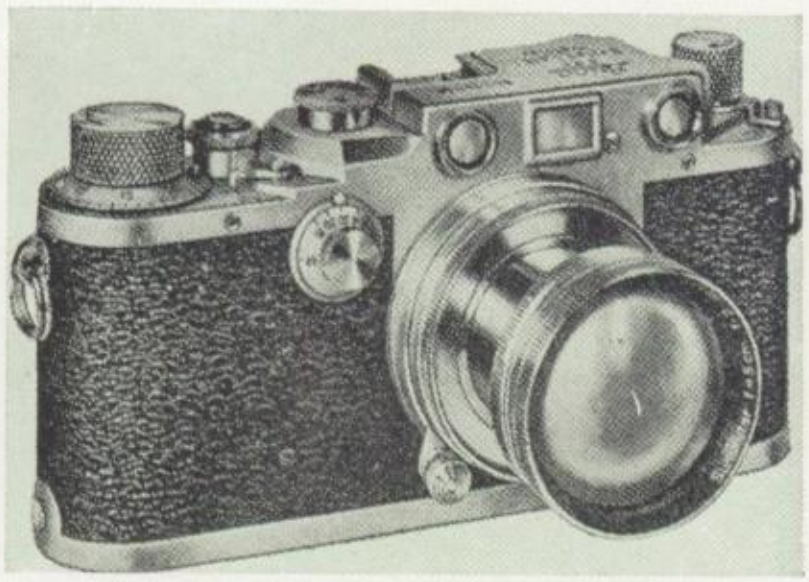

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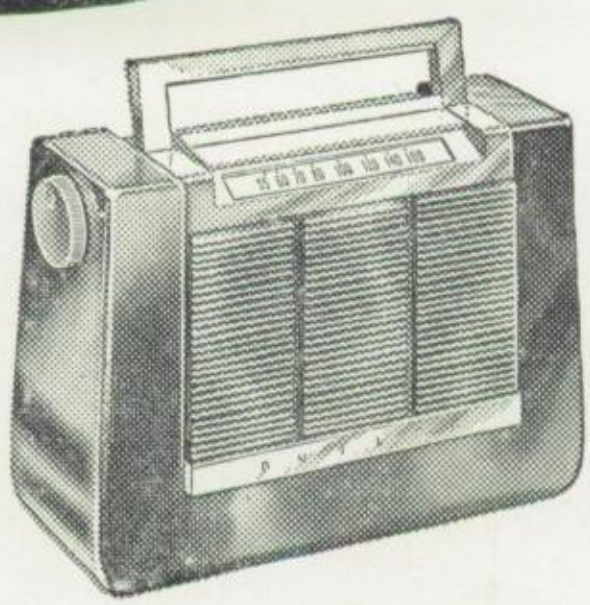

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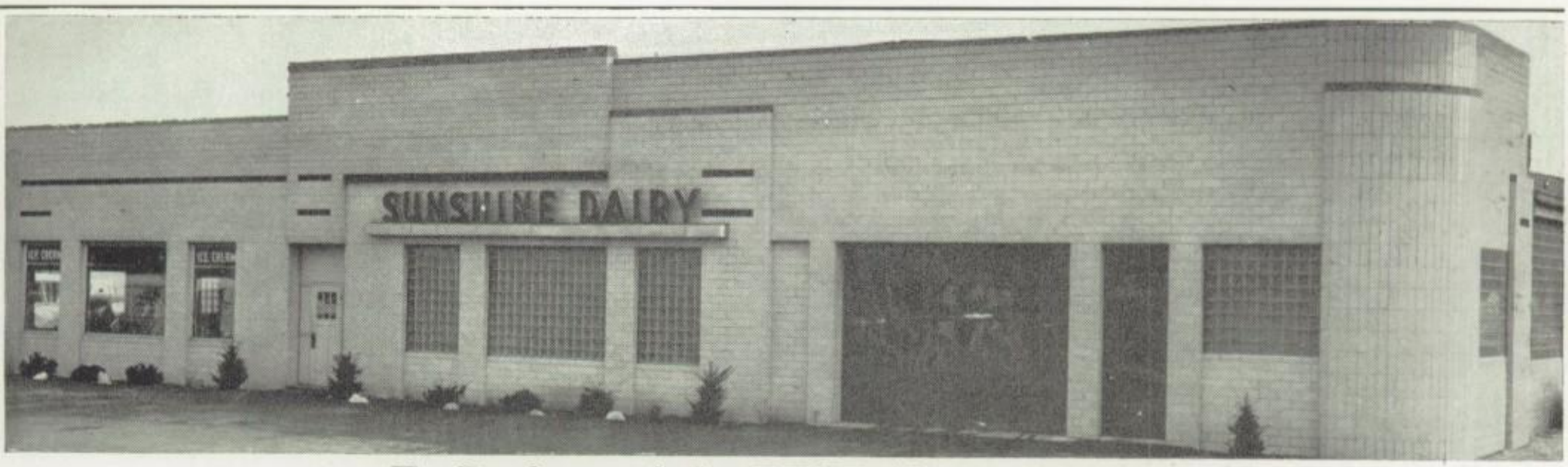

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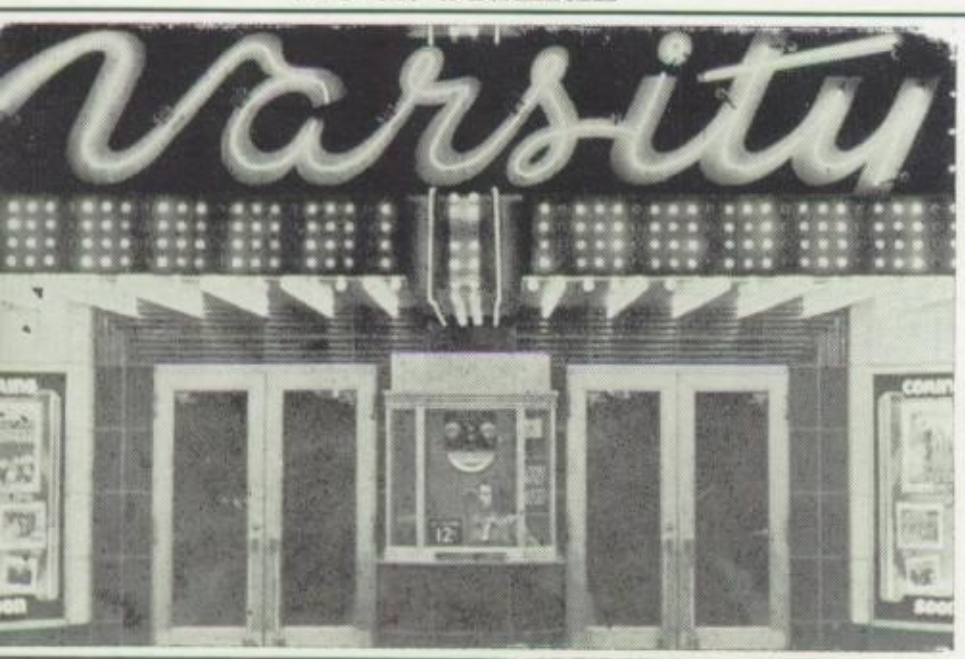

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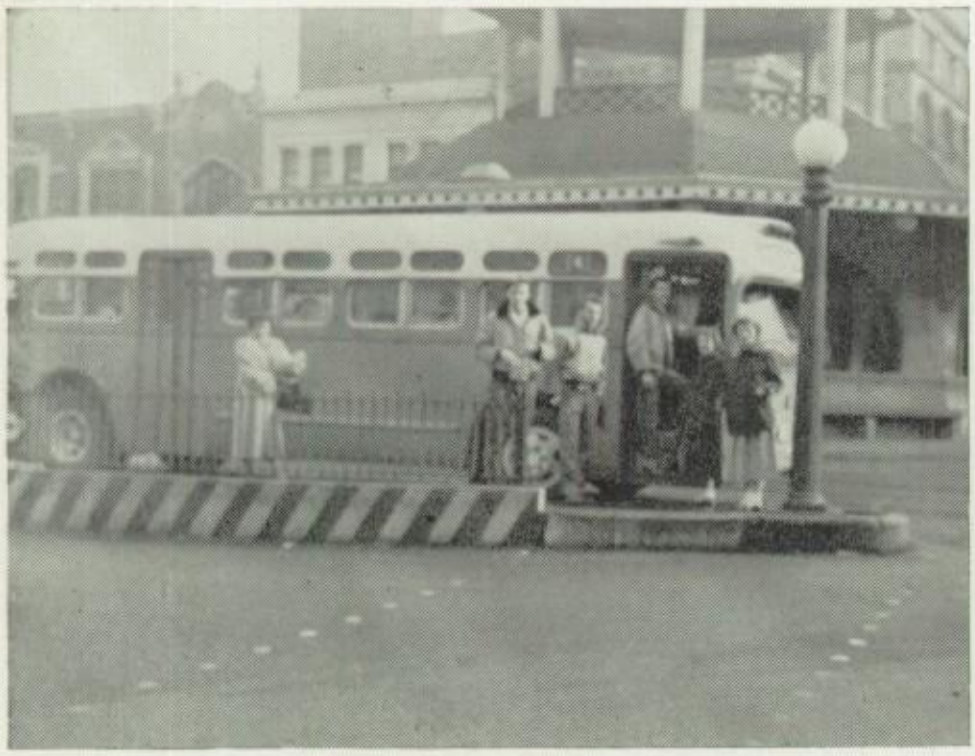

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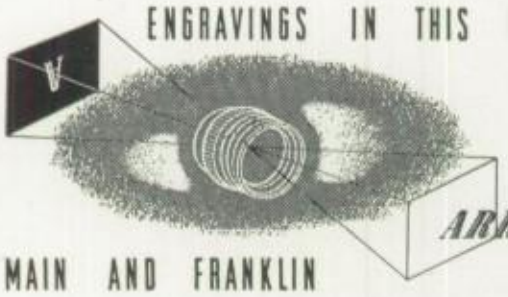

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